

# ***WINCUE***

# ***USER GUIDE***



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## **How to use this guide**

This user guide provides detailed information on how to setup, configure and operate the WinCue software.

## **Audience**

This guide is intended for use by operators and users whose familiarity with computers and software ranges from novice to expert. It is also aimed at technical staff who would be responsible for installing, configuring and supporting WinCue.

## **Structure of this guide**

The user-guide is divided into Chapters, which help the reader to locate information about a particular aspect of the system quickly and easily.

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## Chapter

## 1

## Installing the Hardware

This chapter covers the minimum requirements with the recommended specifications and the installation of the hardware required to run the WinCue software.

### 1 Installing the Hardware

#### 1.1 Minimum Hardware Requirements

The WinCue prompter will run either on the Windows 2000 or Windows XP Professional operating systems, Windows XP Home or Windows ME are not supported. The minimum hardware requirements and recommended specification for your prompter is as follows. Please note that you will require a SCSI card of the type specified below:

##### Windows 2000/XP Pro

- Pentium II 350 MHz processor (True Pentium chipset is required)
- 128MB RAM
- 50Mb free disk space
- Adaptec SCSI card 2906 for desktop, Adaptec 1460 SlimSCSI PCMCIA for laptop
- PCI bus or VL bus graphics card (PCI preferred)
- 800x600 256 Colour VGA display (1024x768 is recommended)

#### 1.2 The WinCue Package

The WinCue package consists of:



Laptop users will receive an I.M.T. box, not the I.M.T. scroll card

- WinCue Software (1 CD)
- License (1 diskette)
- I.M.T. Scroll Card
- Scroll Control
- User Manual

### **1.3 Installing the SCSI card**

Before you install the WinCue prompter software you need to install and configure the SCSI card in accordance with the documentation supplied with it. Information on the issues involved with setting up SCSI cards and how to get round problems can be found in Appendix A of this guide.

### **1.4 The I.M.T. Scroll Card**

The I.M.T. scroll card allows WinCue to prompt text in any language. Data from the scroll card is sent to the prompter screen via the on-board composite video channel. The I.M.T. card also features an on-board genlock port. In addition, an I.M.T. scroll control can be attached to the I.M.T. card leaving all the ports on your PC free for other peripherals.

### **1.5 Installing the I.M.T. Card**

The I.M.T. card will have been configured prior to dispatch for the settings required in your country. Therefore changes to jumpers or dipswitch settings should not be necessary.

Remove the cover from the PC's case and find a free full length ISA slot. Remove the appropriate blanking plate and carefully insert the I.M.T. card.

Connect the SCSI cable to the I.M.T. card and replace the PC's cover.

**Please refer to Appendix A for more details of the I.M.T. card.**

### **1.6 Laptops**

Insert the PCMCIA SCSI card in the designated slot in the laptop. Start the laptop and the card should be detected when you boot up. Install the relevant drivers for the SCSI card.

**Refer to Appendix A for help in setting up your PCMCIA SCSI card.**

## Chapter 2

# Installing the Software

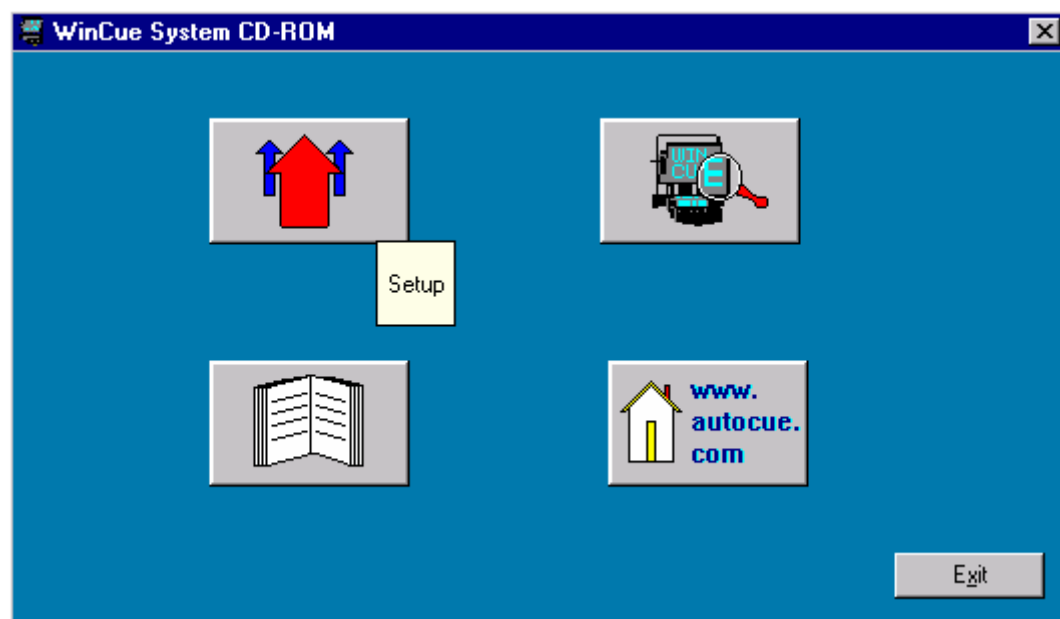
This chapter covers the installation of the WinCue software.

## 2 Installing the Software

### 2.1 Installing the Software on desktop PCs

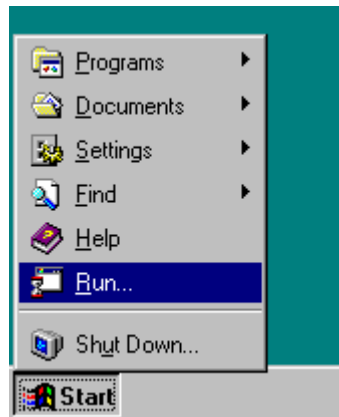
Close all programs running on your computer and insert the CD in the CDROM drive.

The Autorun program should load:

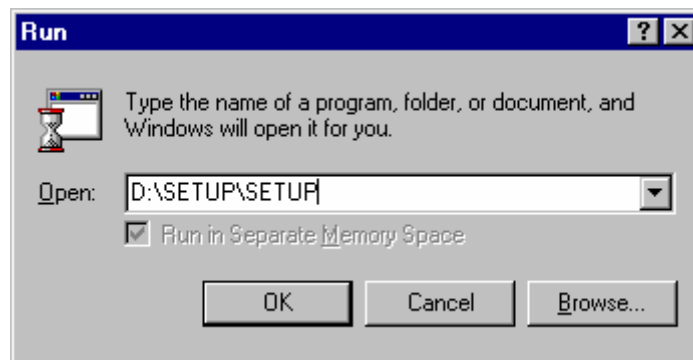


Click the Setup button at the top left of the window.

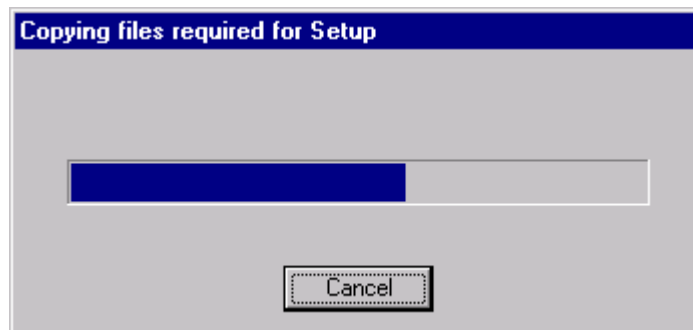
If Autorun does not run automatically click Start and select Run...



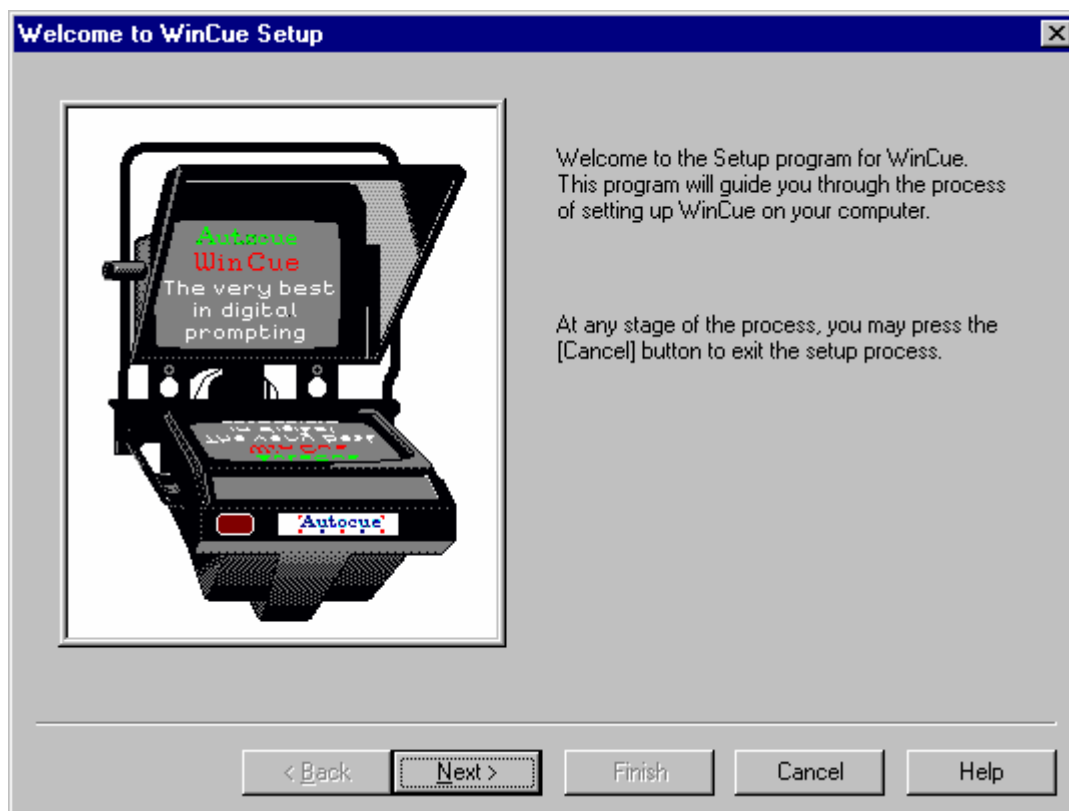
And in the Run dialog box type D:\SETUP\SETUP in the Open: text box then click on OK.



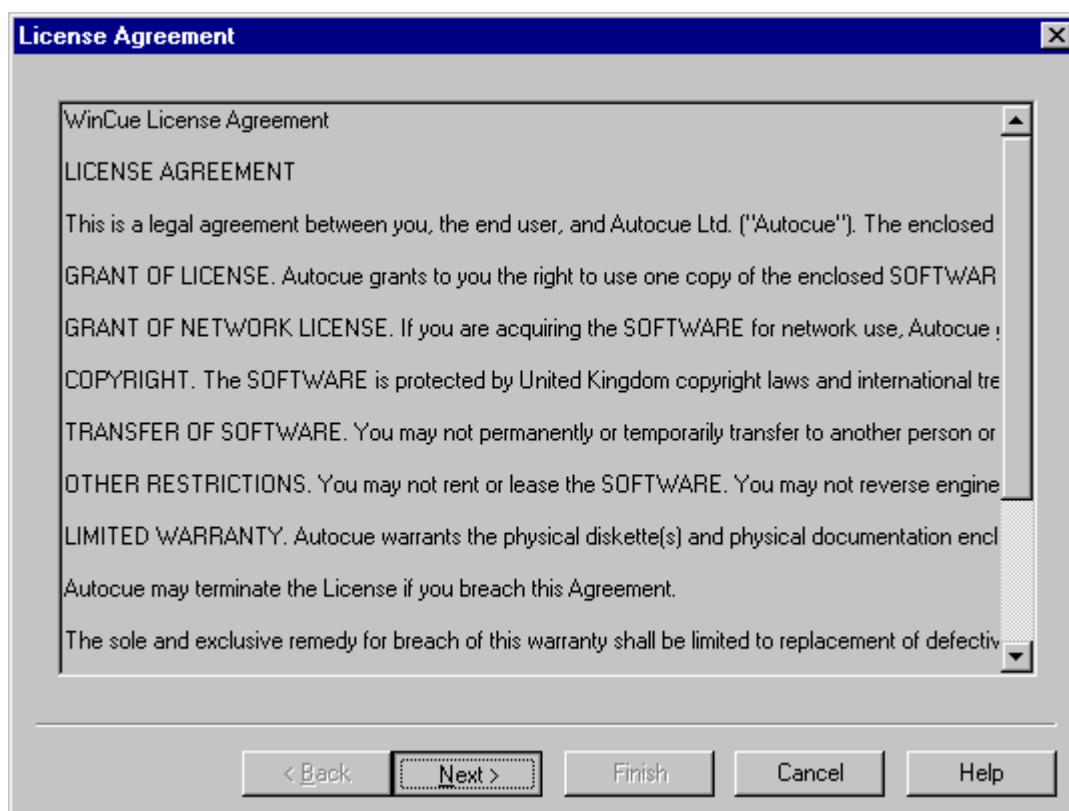
The installation program will load:



When the WinCue Setup banner appears click Next >



You will then be asked for the license diskette. Insert the license diskette and click Next > to accept:

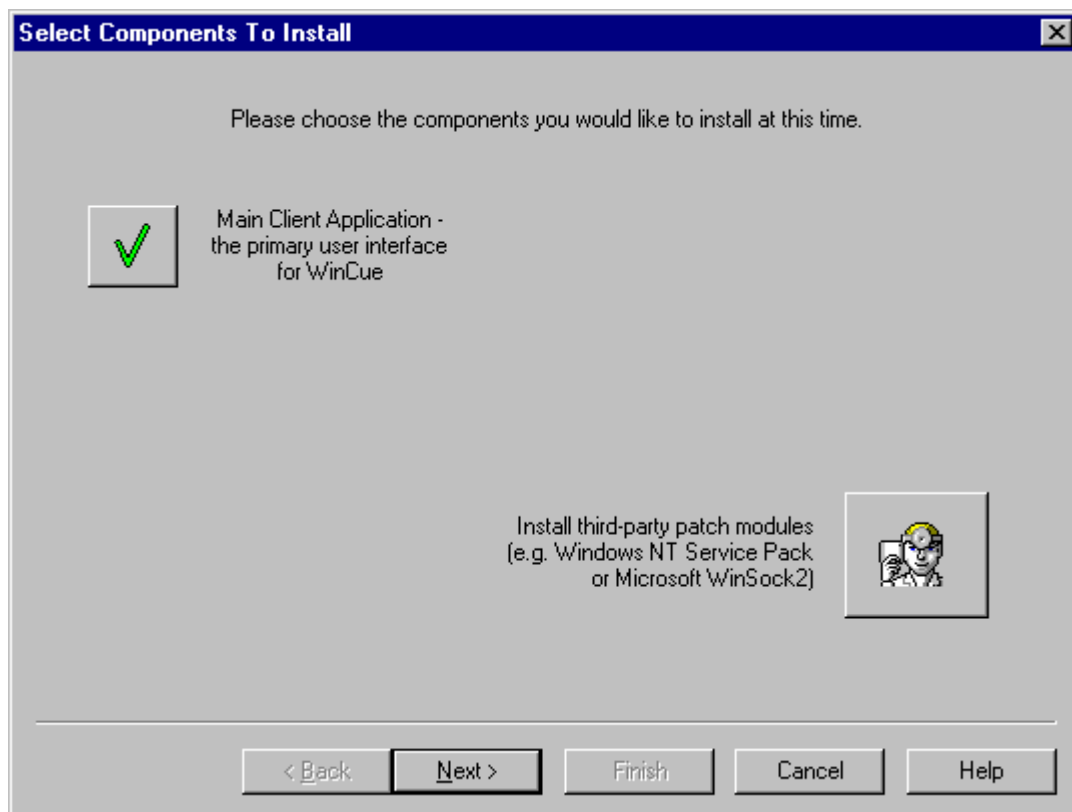




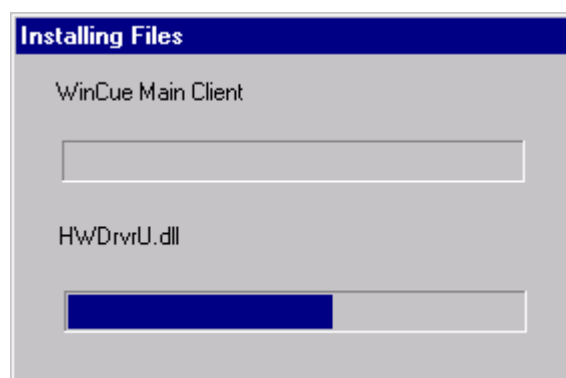
## Warning!

The licence disk included with each copy of WinCue is designed to work with the supplied I.M.T. scroll card. It will not work with any other I.M.T. card.

You will then see the WinCue Install dialog box appear.



Click on the Client button. The files will install with a progress dialog box.



When the installation is done it will go back to the WinCue Install window. Click on the Exit button to return to Windows.

## **2.2 Installing the software on Laptops**

Follow the Installation process on the laptop as above. After WinCue has been installed shutdown and leave switched off until you have connected the prompting peripherals.

# Chapter 3

## Connecting the WinCue peripherals

This chapter covers the connection of the peripherals required to prompt with WinCue.

### 3 Connecting the WinCue peripherals

#### 3.1 Desktop PCs

##### 3.1.1 Connecting a Scroll Control

The standard scroll control used with WinCue is the I.M.T. scroll control. The I.M.T. scroll control port is the 9 pin analogue port on the back of the I.M.T. card. WinCue expects the scroll control to be connected to this port. The I.M.T. scroll control will not work if it is attached to any other port on your PC.

##### 3.1.2 Connecting a Composite Video Feed

The composite video port is the BNC port furthest the scroll control port on the I.M.T. card. This port supplies the composite video feed to the prompter screen(s).

##### 3.1.3 Connecting a Genlock Feed

The genlock port is the BNC port nearest from the scroll control port on the I.M.T. card. This port accepts a genlock feed.

##### 3.1.4 Connecting a Foot Control

At the rear of the Multi-button scroll control is a 15 pin D connector for attaching a foot scroll control and a button to select between foot and hand control operation. When this button is pressed in the foot scroll control can be used to prompt the text. Otherwise the Multi-button scroll control is used.

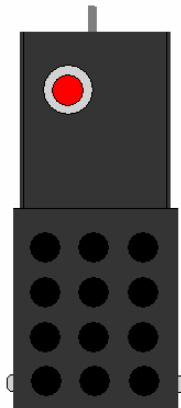


- The rear of the Multibutton Scroll Controller



The foot scroll control is used for controlling the speed and direction of the prompted text only. All other functions such as next marker and reset rundown are available by using the buttons of the Multibutton scroll controller.

The foot control can also be connected direct to the IMT 9 pin connector for stand alone use



The **red** button is used for changing the direction of the prompted text. The foot pedal controls the speed.

## 3.2 Laptops

When the software has been installed and the PC turned off the laptop can be connected to the I.M.T. box.

Insert the PCMCIA SCSI card into your laptop

Connect one end of the SCSI cable supplied with the SCSI card to the PCMCIA card and the other to the SCSI port on the I.M.T. box

Connect a power cord to the appropriate input of the I.M.T. box (you have a choice of IEC mains or 12V DC)

### 3.2.1 Connecting a Scroll Control

Laptops normally use the I.M.T. scroll control. The I.M.T. scroll control port is the 9 pin analogue port on top of the I.M.T. box. WinCue expects a scroll control to be connected to this port.

The I.M.T. scroll control will not work if it is attached to any other port on your PC.

### **3.2.2 Connecting a Composite Video Feed**

The I.M.T. box is made in two versions, one has four BNC composite outputs and the other has one. These ports supply the composite video feed to the prompter screen(s). You can connect your video cable to the BNC output. See Appendix C3 & C4 for further details.

### **3.2.3 Connecting a Genlock Feed**

The genlock port is the BNC port next to the I.M.T. scroll control port on the I.M.T. box. This port accepts a genlock feed.

### **3.2.4 Connecting a Power Supply**

The I.M.T. box can be powered from one of three different sources the mains power supply, 12V DC and an optional PAG battery (UK version only). A reset button is provided on the I.M.T. box to reset the I.M.T. scroll card.

# Chapter 4

## Configuring WinCue

This chapter covers the configuration of WinCue for prompt operation.

### 4 Configuring WinCue

#### 4.1 Starting WinCue prompter for the first time

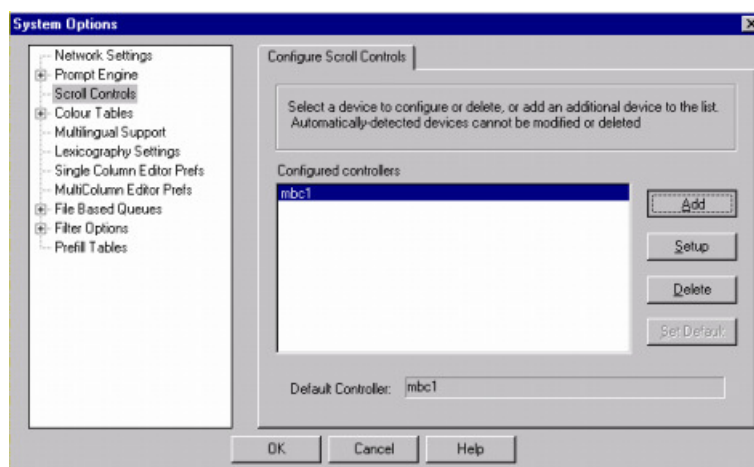
**Note:** users of laptops must switch on the I.M.T. box before switching on the laptop to ensure the PCMCIA SCSI card successfully detects the I.M.T. scroll card.

Run WinCue by double-clicking on the WinCue icon:

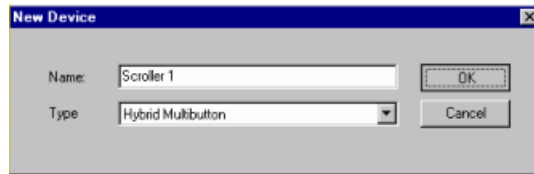


#### 4.2 Configuring the Scroll Controller

Open the **T**ools menu and select **O**ptions. Click on Scroll Controls to open the Configure Scroll Controls window on the right and click on **A**dd.



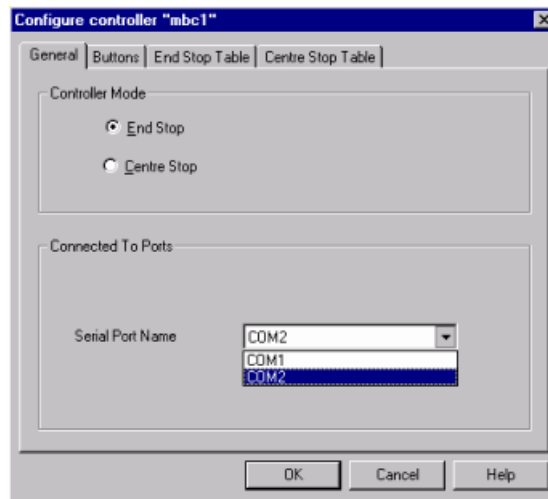
Enter a name for the new device and click the down arrow to select the type from the drop down list. For the multi-button scroll controller select Hybrid Multibutton.



Click OK and you will see the new device listed. Select it by clicking on it and click the Setup button.

#### 4.2.1 Configuring the Controller Mode and Port

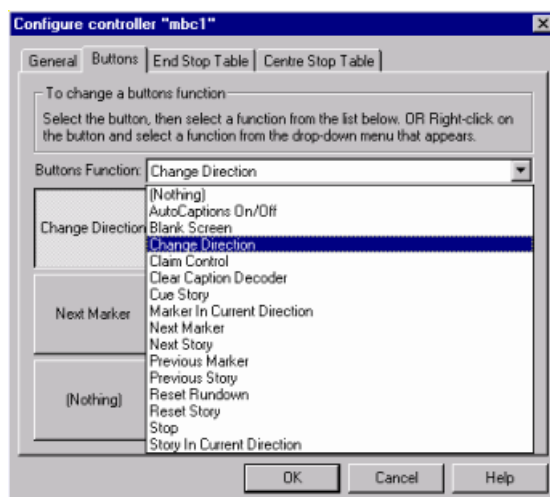
Select the serial port you are using by clicking on the down arrow and selecting from the drop down menu.



If the operator wants the prompted text to stop scrolling when the marker on the scroll knob is centred and does not want to use the forward reverse button to change the direction of the prompted text then you can set the Controller mode to Centre Stop by clicking on the radio button next to the option.

#### 4.2.2 Configuring the buttons

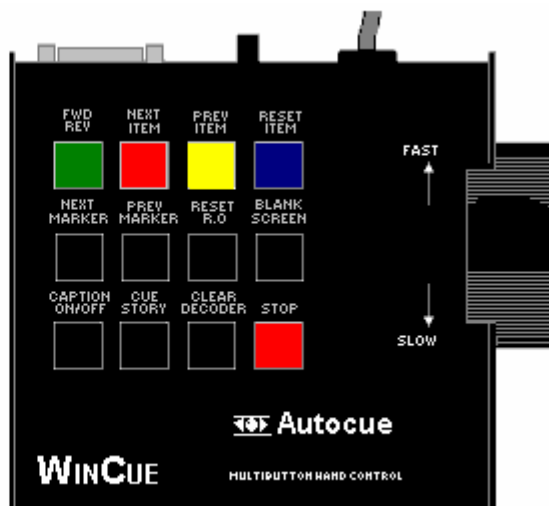
Click on the Buttons tab. Click on the button you wish to configure. Click the down arrow and select the required button from the drop down list.



Configure all the buttons in this way by referring to the table below.

	Function	Description
Top Row of Buttons	Change Direction	Changes the direction the text is scrolled
	Next Story	Moves the prompter to the next story in the rundown
	Previous Story	Moves the prompter to the previous story in the rundown
	Reset Story	Moves the prompter to the beginning of the story currently being prompted
Middle Row of Buttons	Next Marker	Moves the prompter to the next marker in the story
	Previous Marker	Moves the prompter to the previous marker in the story
	Reset Rundown	Resets the prompter the top of the rundown
	Blank Screen	Blanks the prompted text from the prompter(s) on the on-camera unit(s)
Bottom Row of Buttons	Caption On/Off	Switches caption data sent by WinCue on and off
	Clear Decoder	Clear the caption output
	Stop	Stop the prompted text scrolling

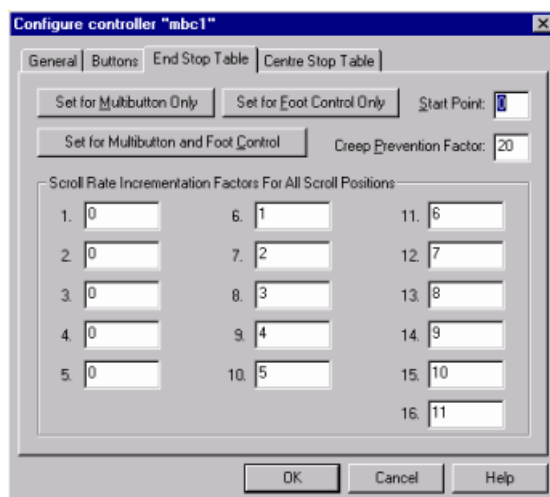
### The Multibutton Scroll Controller



The blank button is usually configured as the Cue Story button which ensures the cue marker is at the end of the previous prompted story and not inside the next prompted story. This is so that if the next item is dropped the cue marker remains at the correct position in the rundown waiting to cue the actual next story.

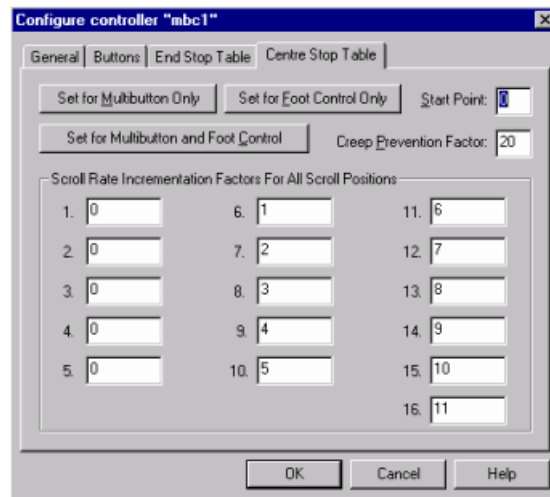
#### 4.2.3 The End Stop Table

Now click on the End Stop Table window tab. Here you can change the scroll rate. The default incrementation factor settings are usually set for normal operation.



#### 4.2.4 The Centre Stop Table

If you have your controller mode set to Centre Stop mode then you can change the settings by clicking on the Centre Stop Table tab.



The simple serial scroll control sends serial data in the range 0 to 120 to tell WinCue how fast to prompt the text; 0 is stop and 120 is the fastest scroll rate. This scroll rate is determined by the position of the scroll control knob. If the Stop Point is set to 60, scroll rates of less than 60 will prompt the text backwards, scroll rates greater than 60 will prompt the text forward, and a scroll rate of exactly 60 will stop the text from scrolling.

The Stop Zone is a range between 0 and 40 over which the prompted text does not scroll. If the Stop Point is set to 60 and the Stop Zone is set to 5, scroll rates between 55 and 65 will mean the prompted text is not scrolled.



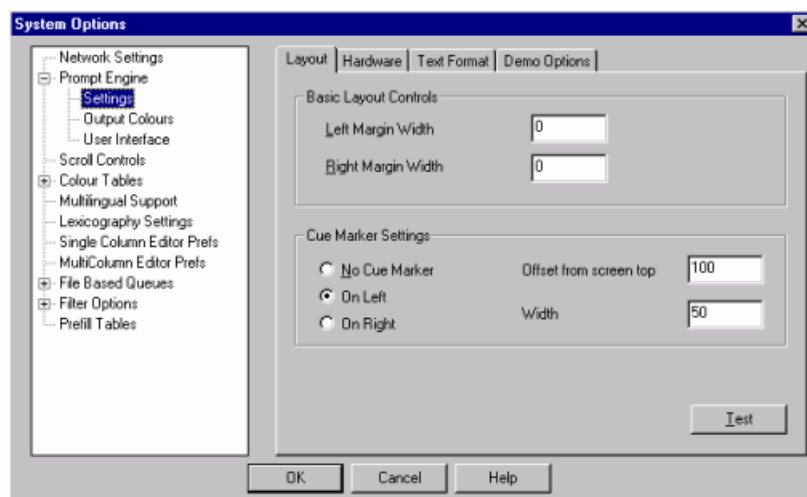
## Warning!

**Administrators should not attempt to modify either the Configure IMT End Stop Scroll Table or Configure IMT Centre Stop Scroll Table. If modifications are required to either scroll table you should contact your vendor.**

Click OK when you are happy with your settings. This will take you back to the Configure Scroll Controls window. Now you need to configure the prompt engine.

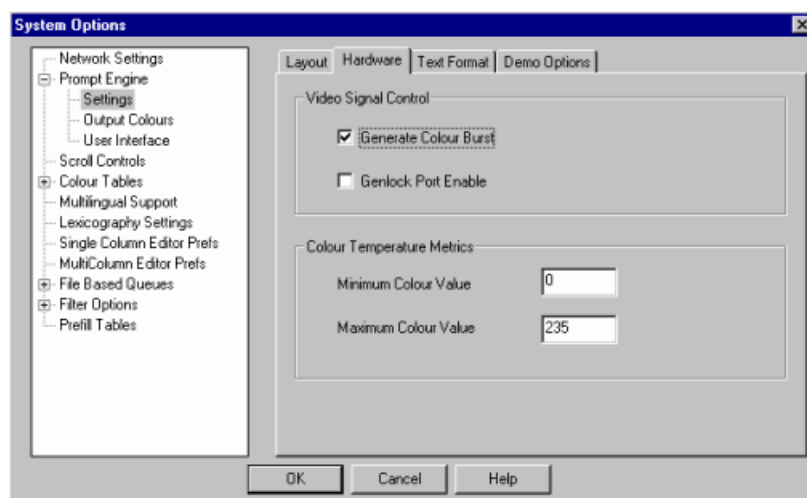
### 4.3 Configuring the Prompt Engine

Click on Prompt engine and then Settings, which will open the Layout window.



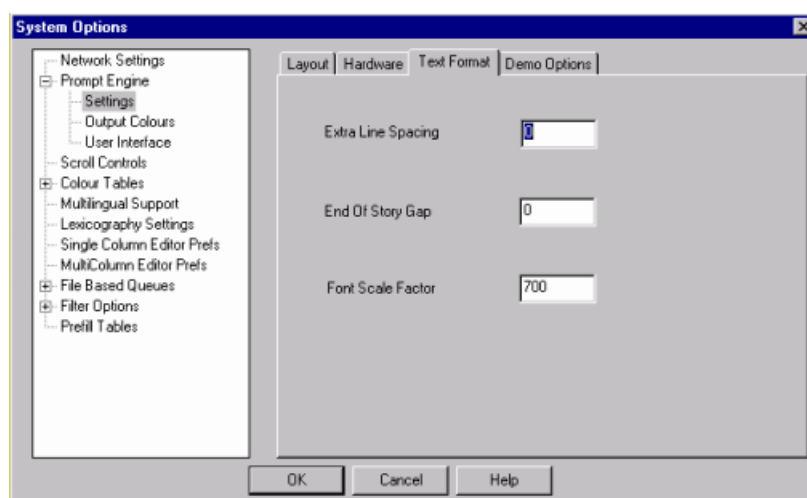
Enter the required left and right margin width and select where you want the cue marker.

Then click on the hardware window tab.



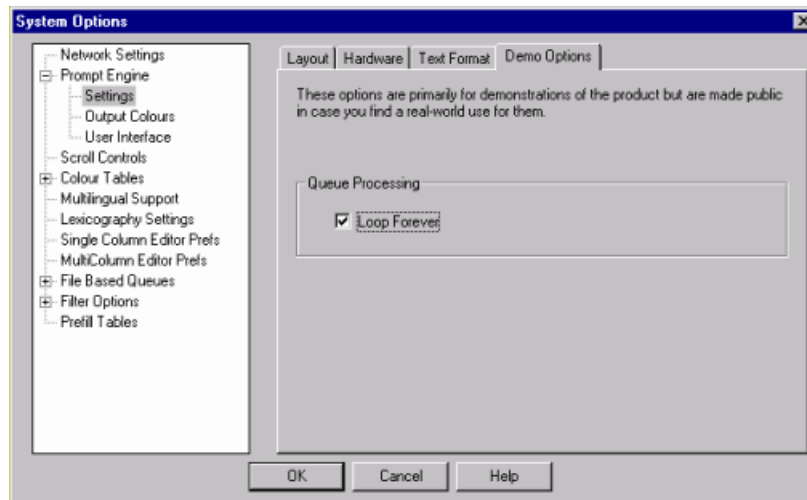
Here you can enable the Genlock port.

Now click on the Text Format window tab.

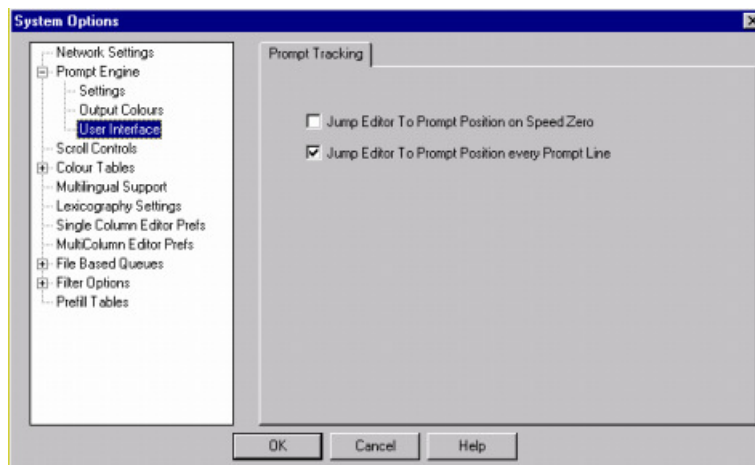




Here you can specify extra line spacing, an end of story gap and the font scale factor.  
Now click on the demo Options window tab.



Here you can select the loop forever option. When you are happy with these settings click on User Interface on the left to open the Prompt tracking window.



Here you can specify whether you want to jump the editor to prompt position on speed zero or every prompt line by clicking in the relevant checkbox. Click OK to complete the configuration process.

# Chapter 5

## How WinCue Works

This Chapter introduces WinCue and some of its basic features. It covers the use of the menu system and toolbar buttons to navigate around the system. It covers the layout of the screen and how the window panes can be arranged and configured to suit the user.

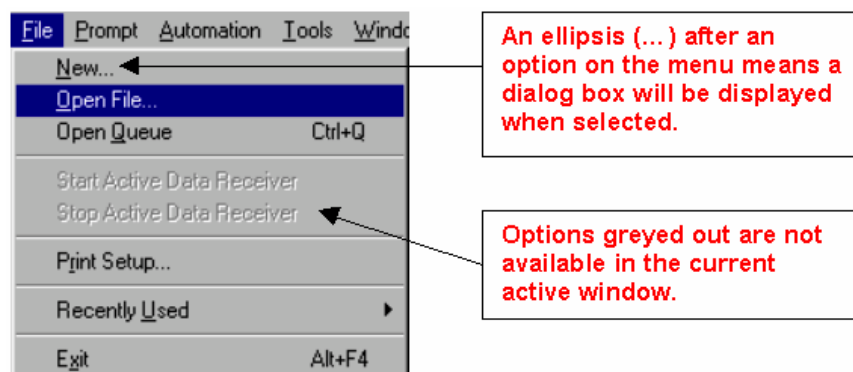
### 5 Introducing WinCue

There are several ways to navigate around WinCue. You can use the mouse or keyboard to open menus and select options. There are toolbars with buttons that can be clicked with the mouse and there are keyboard shortcuts for most commands. **Please note: Refer to Appendix D for a full list of all the toolbar buttons, keyboard shortcuts and menu commands available.**

#### 5.1 Using menus

File Edit Rundown Story Transmission Captioning Tools Window Help

Open menus on the menubar to select commands by clicking on them, and selecting the required option.



To close a menu without choosing a command, click outside the menu or press Escape.

## 5.2 WinCue toolbars and tools

Toolbars provide quick access to commonly used commands and tools. When you first start WinCue and open a queue, the Standard and Formatting toolbars are displayed just below the menu bar. You can choose which toolbars you want to display.

A full list of all the toolbar buttons is in Appendix D.



Click buttons on the toolbars to choose commands. The toolbar is divided into separate toolbars, which are all visible here. Buttons that are lit are active; those greyed out are not available in the window you are currently in. You can hide or display individual toolbars by opening the **T**ools menu, selecting **T**oolbar and then the toolbar/s you wish to display or hide. Selected toolbars will have a check mark (✓).

### 5.2.1 Standard Toolbar



Most of the buttons on this toolbar are active and available in all panes.

### 5.2.2 Change Layout button



This button is active in all panes and allows you to change the layout displayed on the screen.

### 5.2.3 Favourites button



This button allows you to add queues to a list of favourite queues.

### 5.2.4 Formatting toolbar



This toolbar becomes active and is used in the Script Editor window, which we'll learn about later.

### 5.2.5 Splitter View toolbar



### 5.2.6 Editor View toolbar

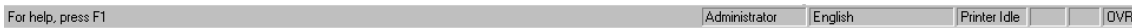


### 5.2.7 Prompt toolbar and Prompt (Advanced) toolbar



We will learn more about the prompter toolbars and how to prompt scripts in WinCue later in Section 10.

### 5.2.8 Status bar

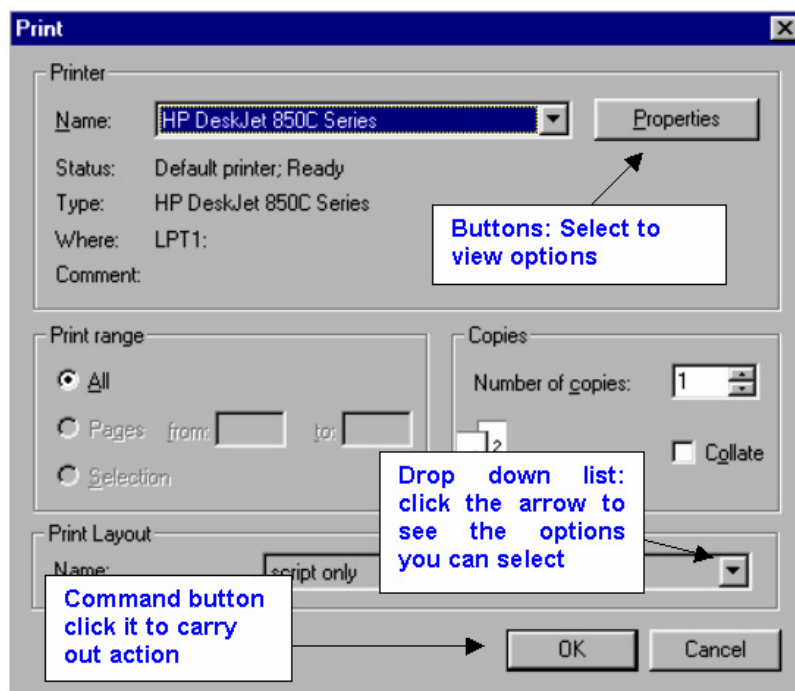


This displays information about the language used, and whether you are in Overtyping mode, denoted by OVR. On the left of the status bar you have a help description of the options on a menu when they are highlighted.

Toolbars provide quick access to commonly used commands and tools. To display or hide a toolbar, choose Toolbars from the Tools menu, select the toolbar you want to display or hide. The Toolbars selected will have a tick (✓) next to them on the menu.

## 5.3 Selecting options in a dialog box

When you choose a menu option that's followed by three dots, a dialog box appears displaying options to be selected and buttons to click to display further options. Below is an example of the Print dialog box:



## 5.4 Using Panes

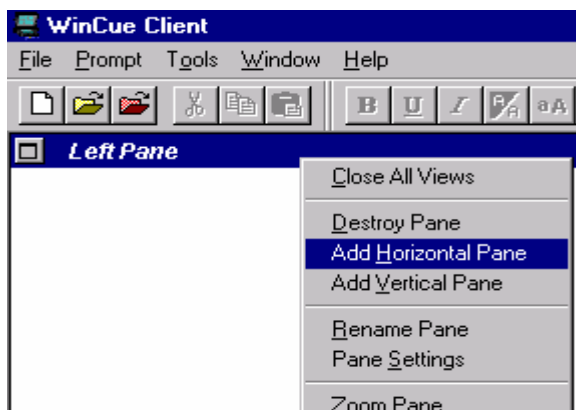
The first thing you'll notice when you run WinCue is that the screen is divided up into window panes. These panes can be arranged and configured to suit your needs. Each pane is a separate window and you can have as many panes open on the screen as you like, and the user can change this. The active pane has a blue title bar.

### 5.4.1 To add a horizontal pane

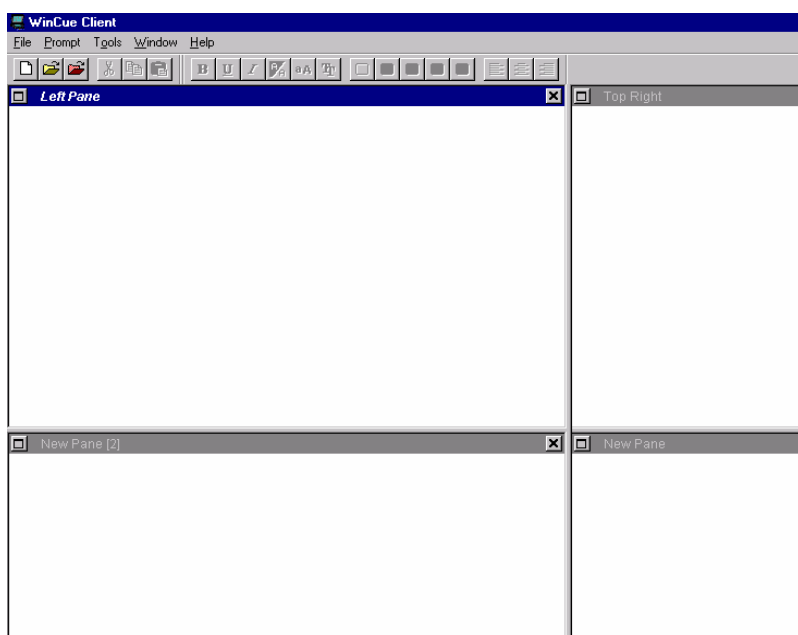
#### *What you do*

Right-click in the title bar of the pane you wish to add a horizontal pane to and select Add Horizontal Pane from the pop-up menu.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



This adds a horizontal pane to the window:

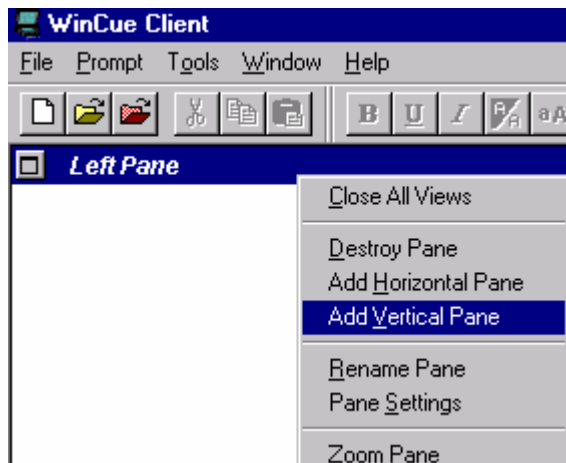


### 5.4.2 To add a vertical pane

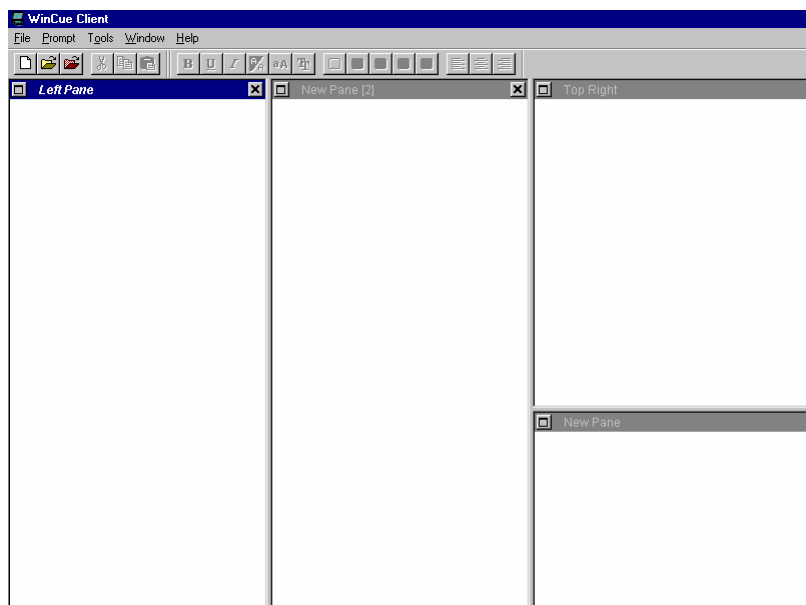
#### *What you do*

Right-click in the title bar of the window you wish to add a vertical pane to and select Add Vertical Pane from the pop-up menu.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



This adds a vertical pane to the window:




### 5.4.3 To Zoom a pane

You can zoom any pane to fill the screen.

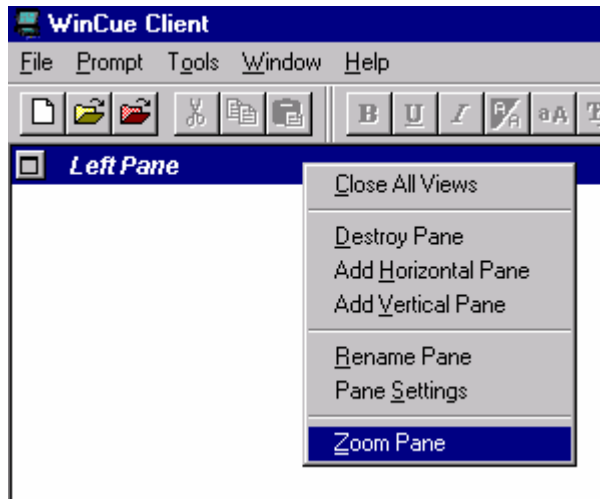
#### *What you do*

Click on the zoom button at the top left hand corner of the Pane.


#### *Comments/Prompts*

 Zoom button

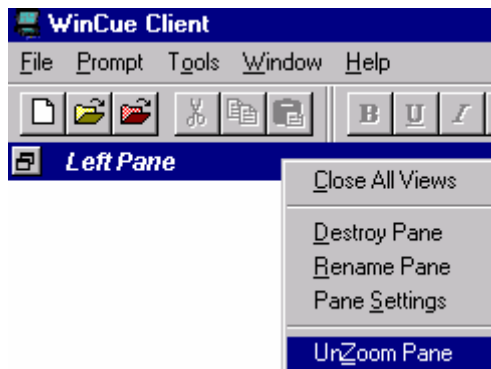
**OR** right-click in the title bar of the pane and select Zoom Pane.



The keyboard shortcut for this is CTRL+ALT+Z

To un-zoom pane click on  the UnZoom button

**OR** right-click on title bar of pane and select UnZoom Pane.



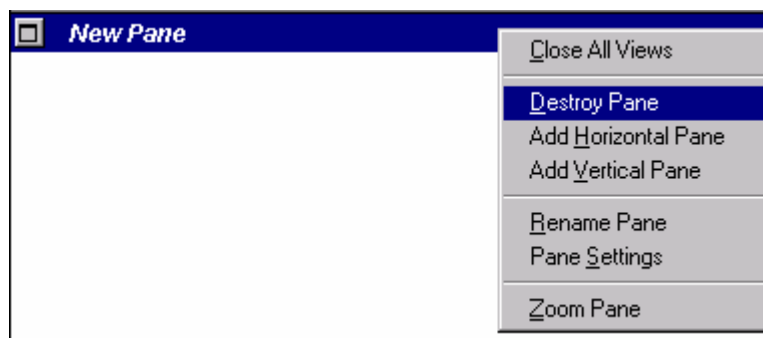
When the last zoomed pane is closed the screen goes back to Vertical Splitter mode.

### 5.4.4 Removing panes

#### *What you do*

Right-click on the title bar of the pane you wish to remove and select Destroy Pane.

#### *Comments/Prompts*

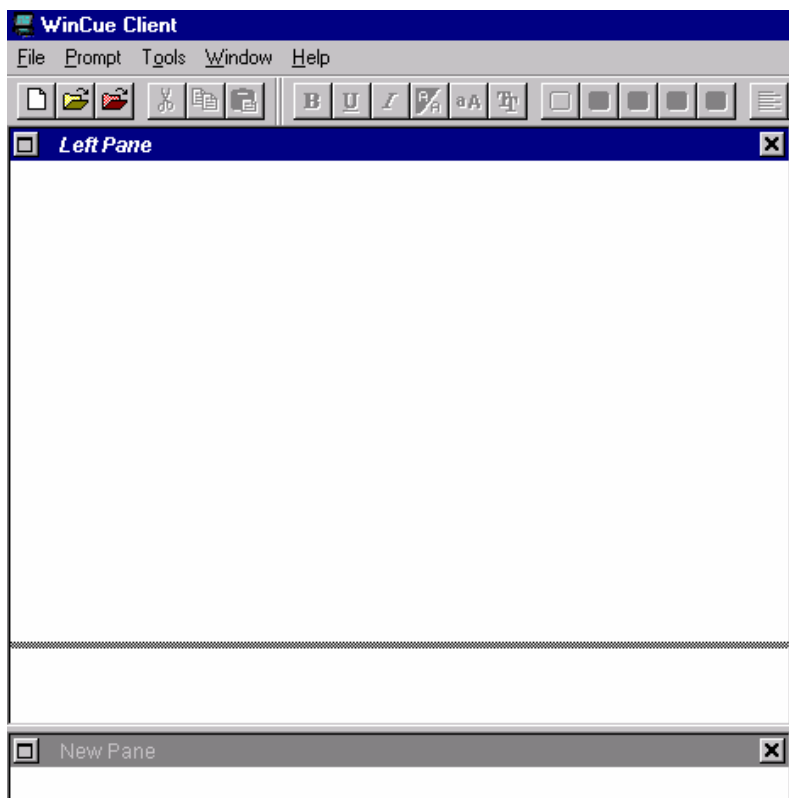


### 5.4.5 Resizing panes

#### *What you do*

You can resize any pane by holding the left mouse button down on the border of the pane and dragging the border to the required position.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



When you close WinCue and logout the last layout of panes you had on the screen will be saved ready for the next time you use WinCue.



### 5.4.6 Pane settings

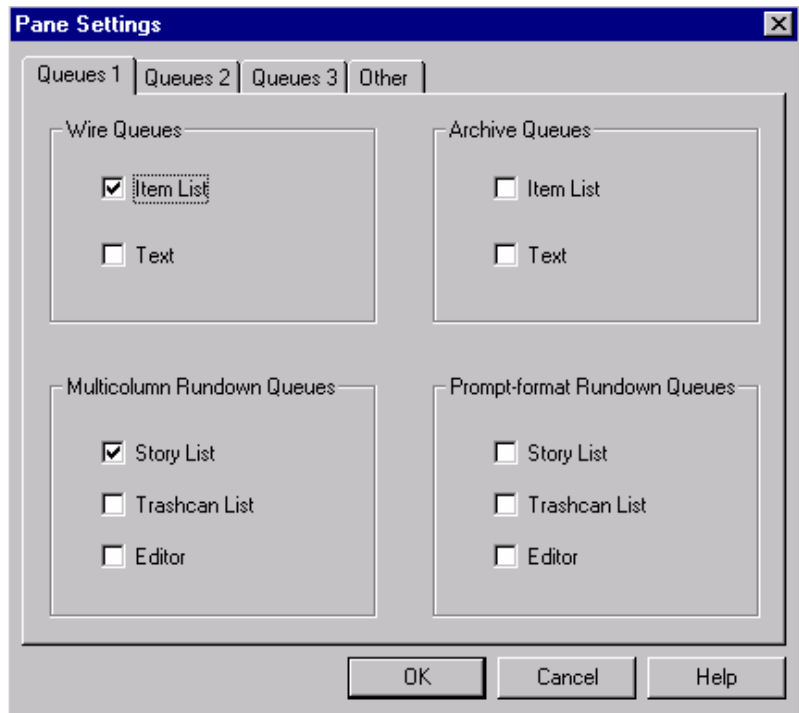
You can control what information can be displayed in the pane in Pane settings

#### *What you do*

Right-click in the title bar of the pane and select Pane Settings.

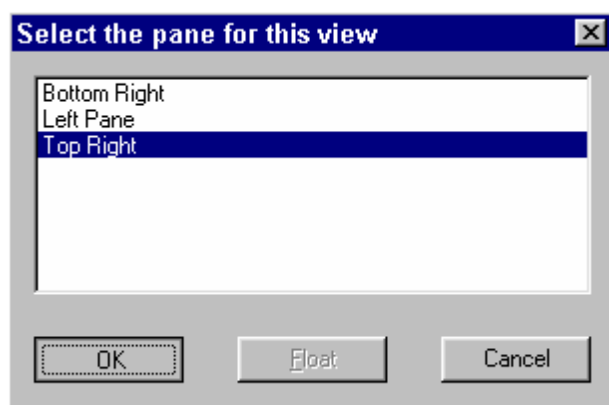
For each type of queue select whether you want the list of items in a queue or the text of an item or both to be displayed in this pane.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



In the settings for this pane the Item List for Wire Queues and Archive Queues, Story List and Editor for Multicolumn Rundown Queues options have been selected so only these types of queue or item can be displayed in this pane. If you open a type of queue or item that none of the panes are set to display then you will be asked which pane you want to open that queue in.

**Note:** *If you have renamed your panes then these names will be displayed in this dialog.*



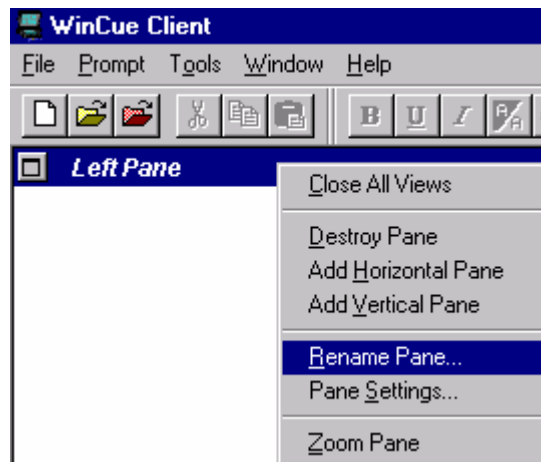
This pane will then change its settings to display this type of queue or item in future. If more than one pane is set to display the same type of queue or item then you will always get this select pane dialog when you open that type of queue or item in future.

### 5.4.7 Renaming panes

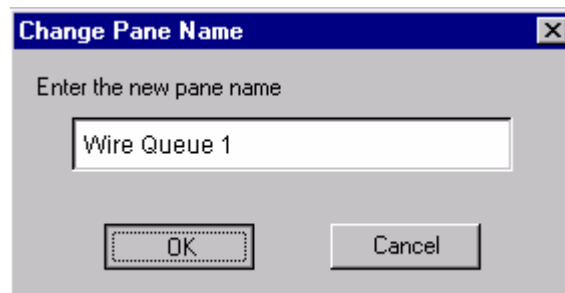
#### What you do

Right-click in the title bar of the pane and select Rename pane.

#### Comments/Prompts



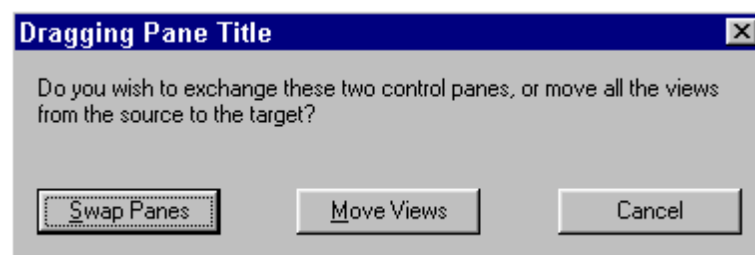
Enter new name and click OK.



### 5.4.8 Moving Panes

You can move the contents of panes to other panes by holding the left mouse button down on the title bar of the pane and drag and drop the into another pane.

You will get a dialog with options of what you want to do:



If you choose Swap Panes you will move the contents and title of the pane you are dragging, to the new pane **AND** swap the pane settings to the new pane. If you choose Move Views the contents and title of the pane will be moved to the new pane which will then have it's settings changed to allow this type of queue or item to be opened in this pane in future. Now when you open that type of queue or item you get the option of which of the panes you want to display the queue or item in.

## **5.5 The Principles of Prompting**

This section aims to provide those who are unfamiliar with prompting systems the basic terms involved.

### **5.5.1 Prompters**

The prompter is normally mounted on the front of the camera and displays the scrolling text created by the script editor for the presenter to read. The text from the monitor is reflected onto a special sheet of glass. Thus the presenter can see the text, but the camera looks straight through it.

### **5.5.2 The Script Editor**

The script editor is used to write and modify the stories the presenter is going to read. Each story is represented as a one-line entry in the rundown.

### **5.5.3 Rundowns**

A rundown is a running order of items representing the stories in the show. The order in which the items appear in the running order dictates the order in which the stories will be displayed on the prompter.

### **5.5.4 The Scroll Controller**

The scroll controller is used to control the prompted text. The prompter operator controls the speed and direction the text scrolls to suit the presenter.

## Chapter 6

# Getting Started with WinCue

In this chapter we explore the basic commands and functions you will need to know to begin working with WinCue. We will describe how to use WinCue in four simple steps and start prompting. By the end of this Chapter you will be able to create scripts and prompt them using WinCue.

## 6 WinCue Basics

### 6.1 Starting WinCue

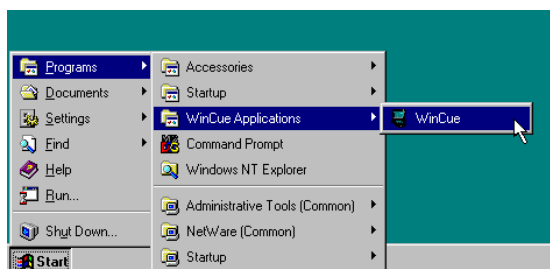
Double-click on the WinCue icon:



WinCue icon

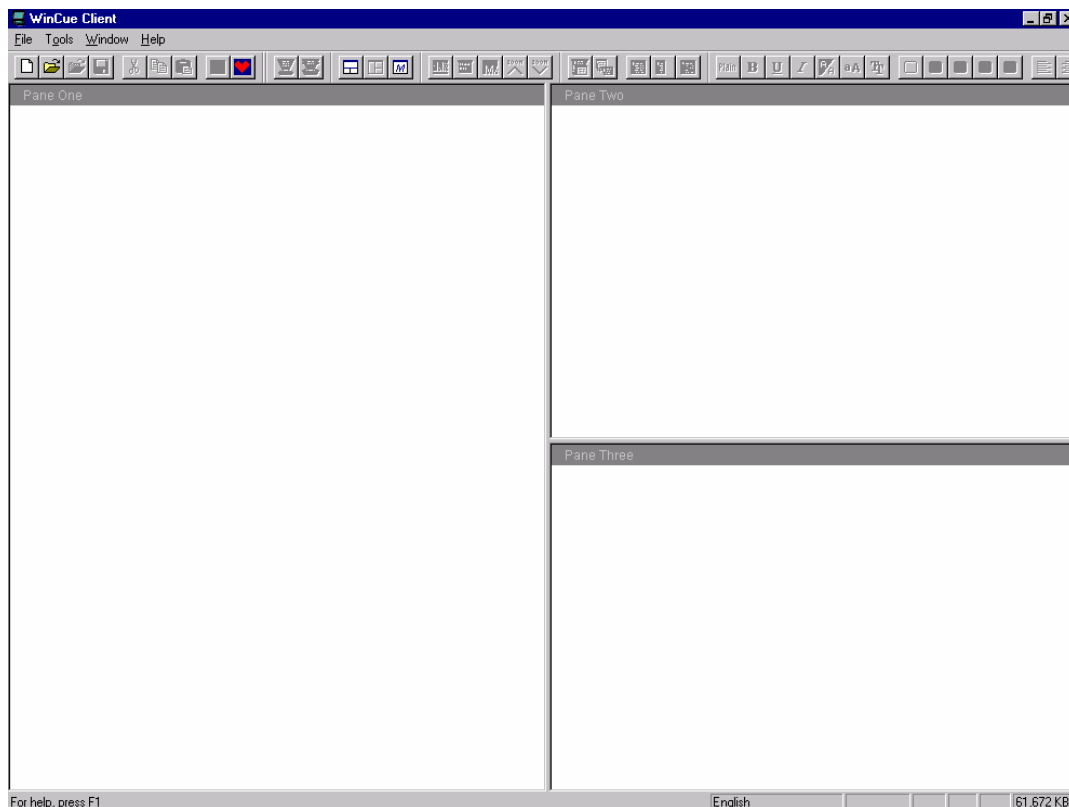
WinCue can be found in the Programs-WinCue Applications folder:

OR use the Start menu:



The WinCue main window will open.

## 6.2 The WinCue main window



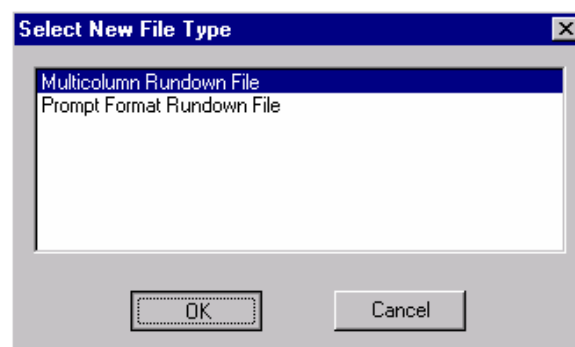
The screen is divided into window panes which can be configured and organised in a way that suits the user.

**For more information on Panes and how to configure them see Section 5.4 Using Panes.**

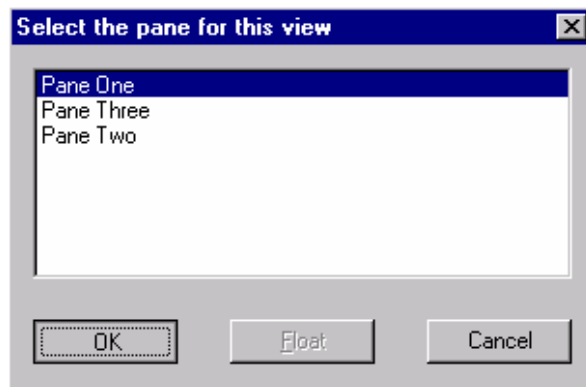
## 6.3 Creating a Multi-column Rundown

To create a new multi-column rundown open the File menu and select New File...

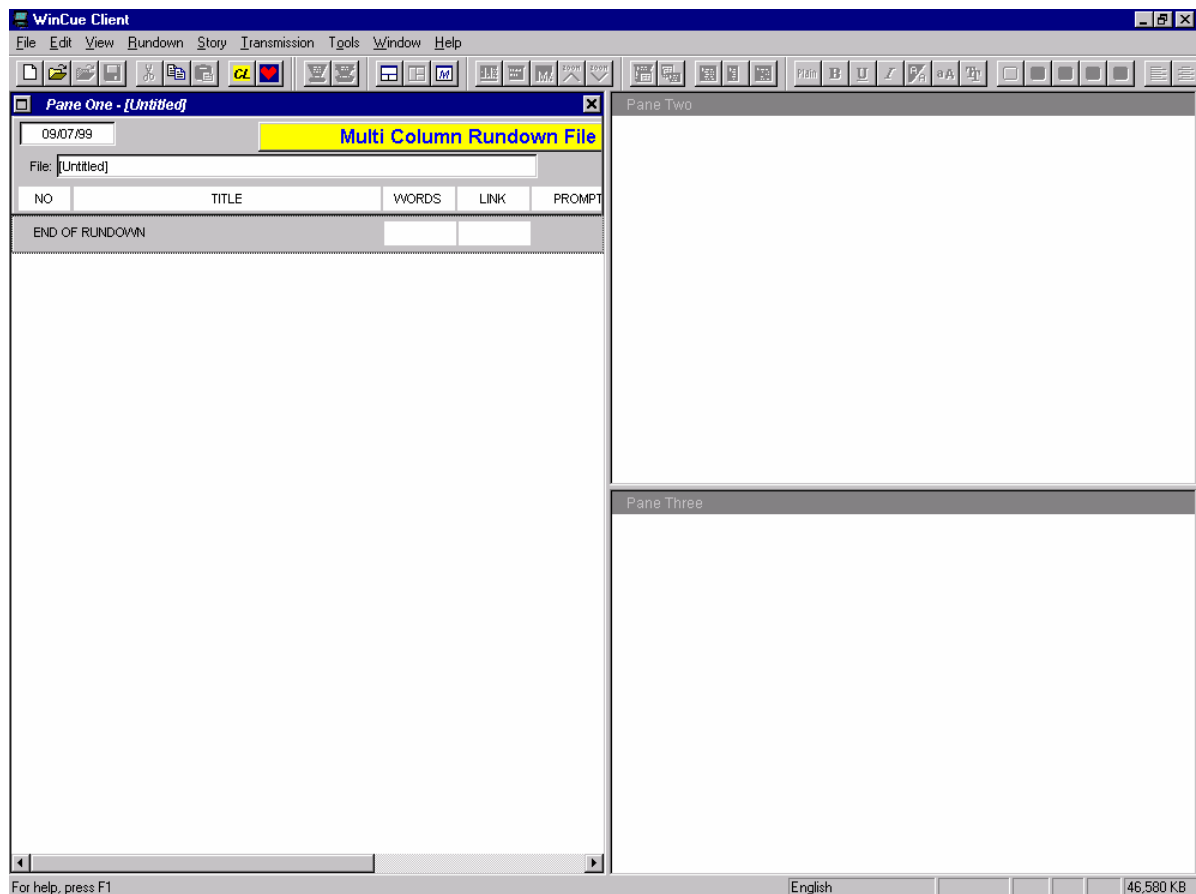
**OR** click on the New File button on the Toolbar:  A dialog box “Select New File Type” will appear:



Select Multicolumn Rundown File and click OK. You will be asked in which pane you would like to open the new rundown in:



Select Pane One and click OK. A new blank multi-column rundown will then be displayed:



## Chapter

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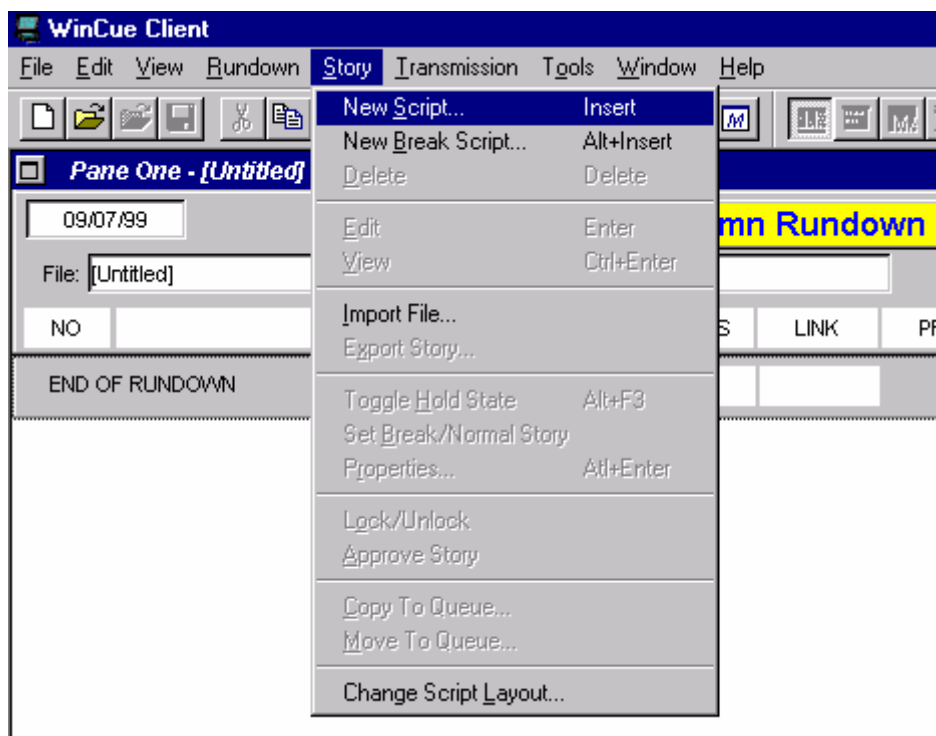
## WinCue Script Editor

In this Chapter you will learn how to add new scripts to the running order and how to find your way around the Script Editor. The Script Editor is used to create the prompting text and is similar to many Windows based editors.

### 7 The Script Editor

#### 7.1 Creating a new Script in the Rundown

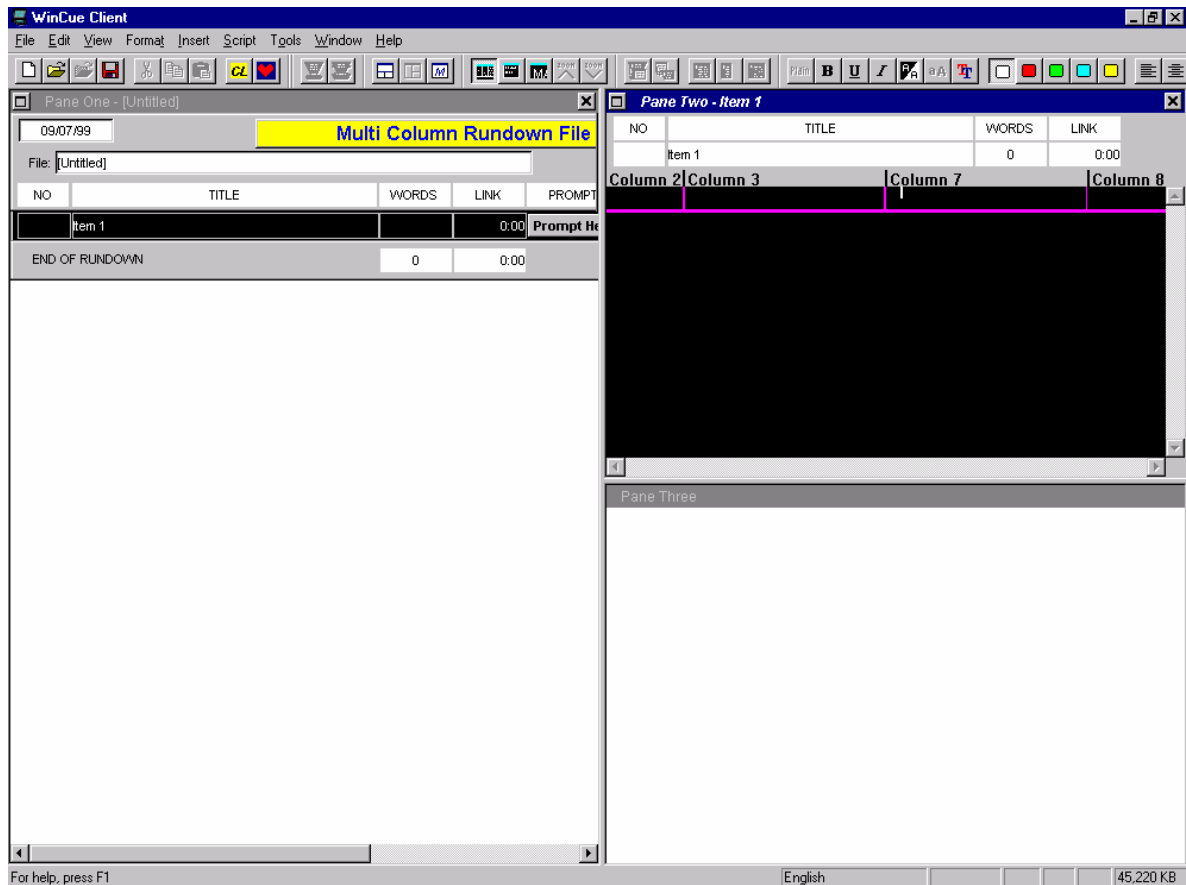
Open the Story menu and select New Script...




The new script will appear as an item in the rundown. To edit the item and add a script double-click on the item.

This will open the Script Editor. If this is the first time you have used WinCue since installation the Script Editor will open in the same pane as the Rundown (i.e. Pane One below). If you would like the Script Editor to open in another pane, as shown below, you need to turn one of the global options off. To do this open the Window menu and select Settings... Click the Pane Settings 1 tab and deselect the Text In List Pane option by clicking in the relevant checkbox (✓). Click OK to save the change.

### 7.1.1 The Script Editor Window



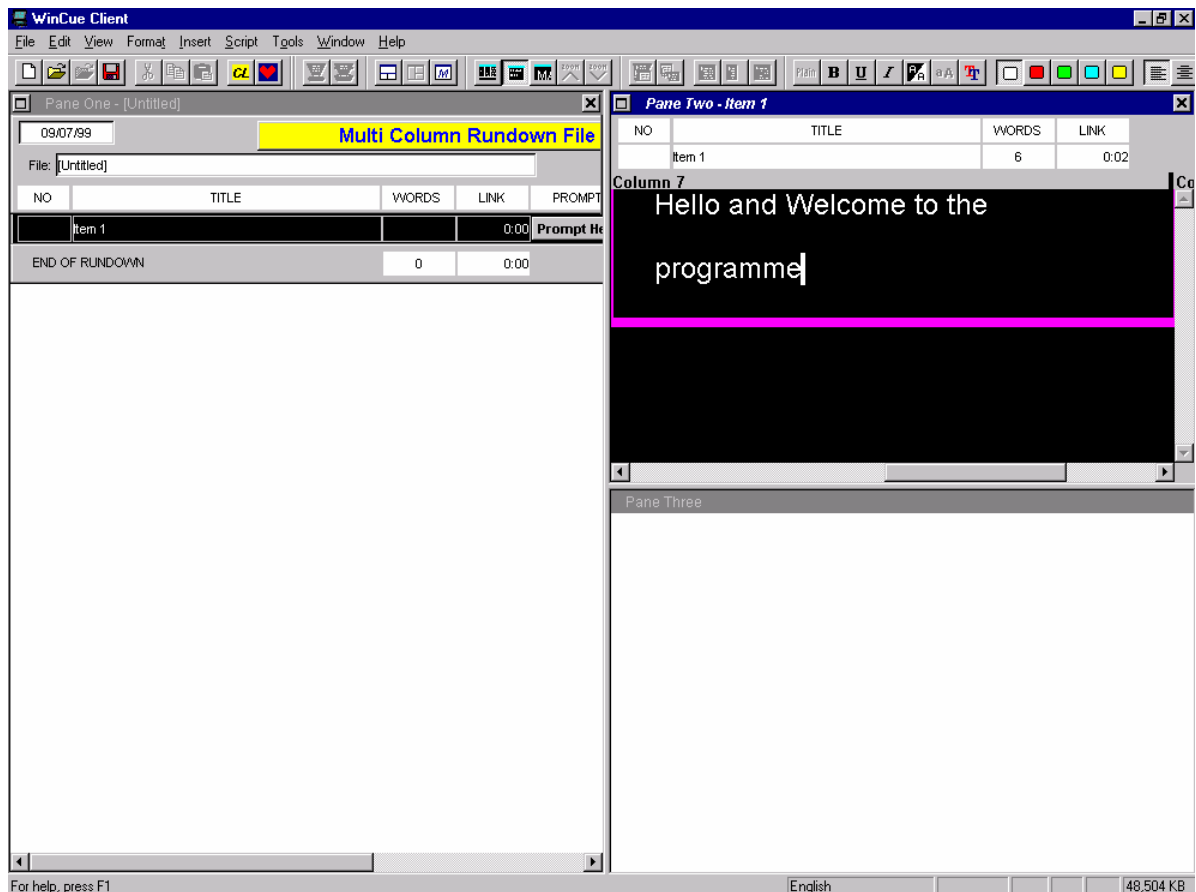
You can Zoom the Script Editor pane so it fills the screen by clicking on the Zoom button: 

**OR** you can zoom the column to fit the window by clicking on the AutoScale the Column to Window button on the toolbar:



You can now start typing your script.





This shows the script being typed whilst the column is scaled to fit the window.

WinCue supports both mouse and keyboard controls. A summary of the shortcut keyboard controls is shown below. These keystrokes can be used in conjunction with the mouse and will help you to move around the editor. Text can be deleted using Backspace, the delete key or by highlighting the desired text and pressing delete.

Key	To move
HOME	To the beginning of a line
END	To the end of a line
Page Up	Up one screen
Page down	Down one screen
Ctrl + HOME	To the beginning of the script
Ctrl + END	To the end of the script

### **7.1.2 The Word Count (Link time) Box**

As you type a script WinCue will keep track of the number of words in the script. The current word count appears in the Words box and is constantly updated.

### **7.1.3 The Script Duration Box**

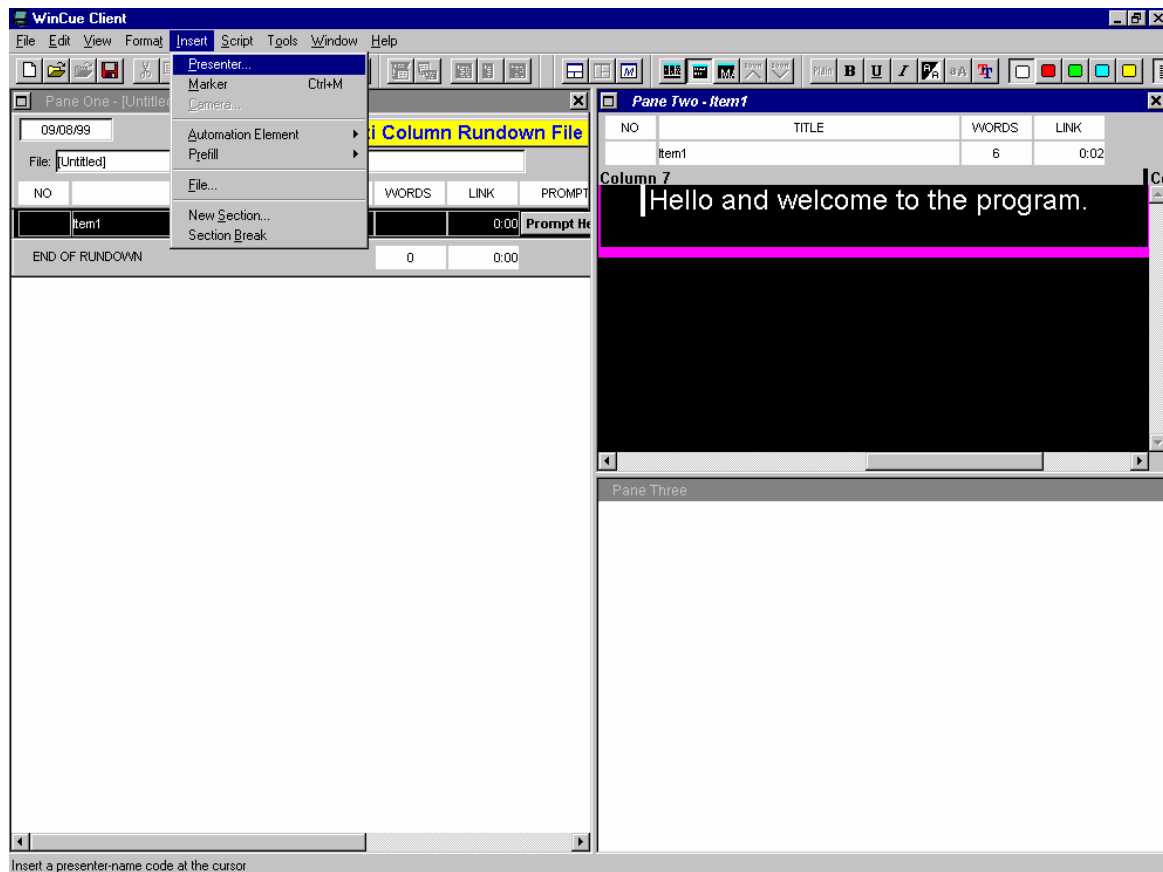
The time taken for a person to read a script from the prompter screen will depend on the number of words in the script and how fast that person reads. WinCue uses the current word count and the presenters read rate to calculate the duration (Link time) of the script. The script duration in seconds is displayed in the Link box and is updated as you type. The default presenter's read rate of 180 words per minute is used unless you are using a presenter with a modified read rate. **See Section 8.3 Changing a Presenter's Settings.**

### **7.1.4 Undo and Redo**

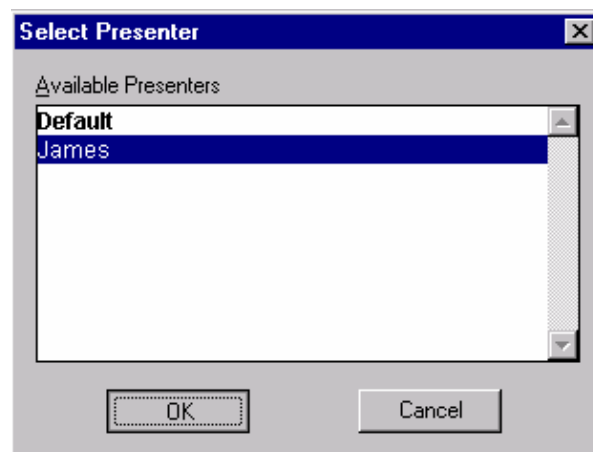
You can undo and redo changes made in the Script Editor in the same way as any other word processor. To Undo the last changes press CTRL+Z. You can undo each change since the last time you saved the script. To Redo changes press CTRL+Y.

## **7.2 Adding a Presenter Name to a Script**

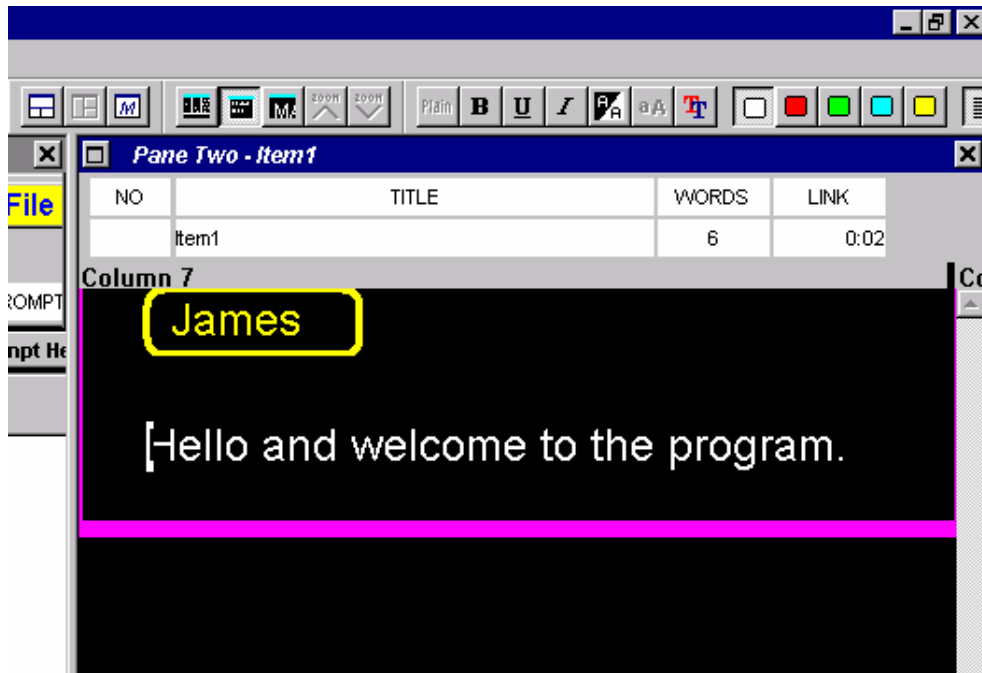
To add a presenter name to the script open the Inser menu and select Presenter:



Select the required presenter and click OK.:



The Presenter will then be inserted into the script and the Link time updated if this presenter does not have the default read rate set:



### 7.3 Adding Markers to a Script

When prompting it is sometimes useful to be able to jump to specific parts of a script without having to scroll to that point. Markers are placed at points where the operator may need to jump too. To insert a marker move the cursor to the position in the text where it is required, open the Insert menu and select Marker. A flag marker is then inserted in the text.

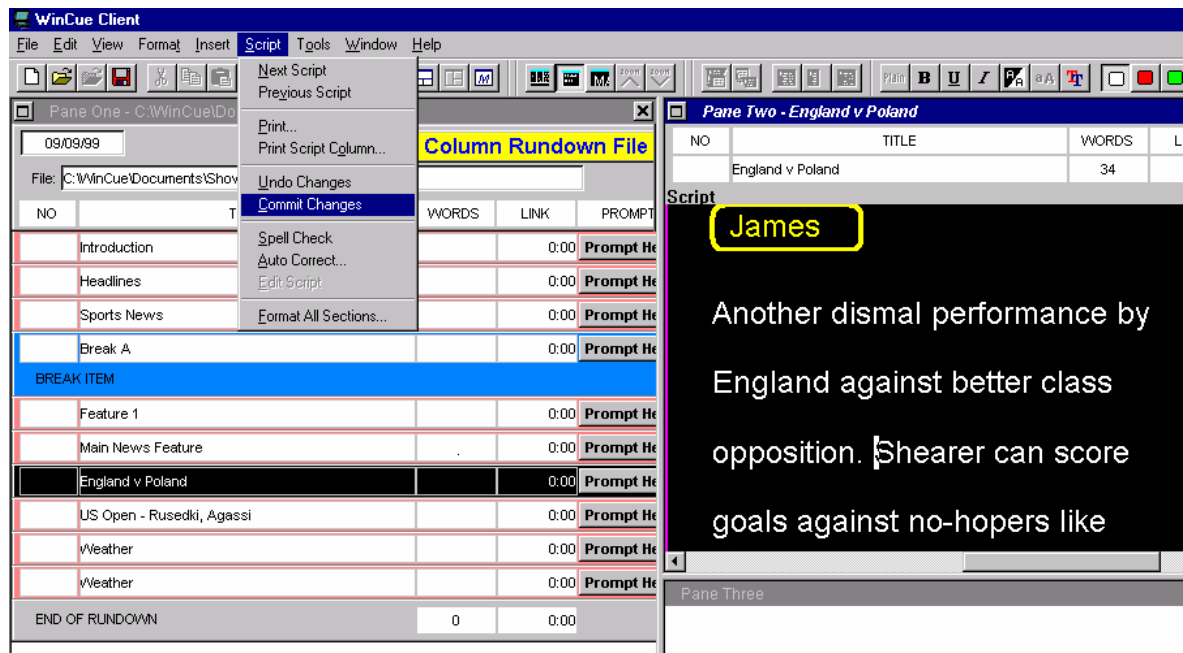
To use the Scroll Controller to jump between markers see Section 9.3 Scroll Controllers.

### 7.4 Saving Your Work

It is good practice to save your work regularly while writing your script just in case there is a problem with the PC.

#### 7.4.1 Saving a Script

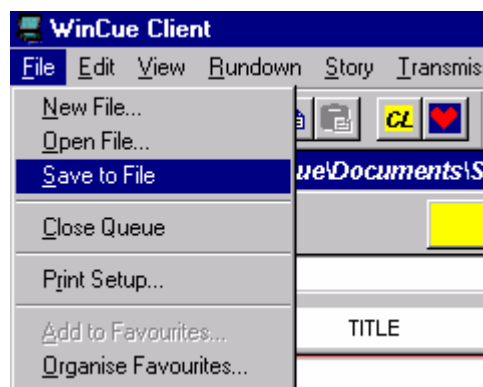
To save a script open the Script menu and select Commit Changes:



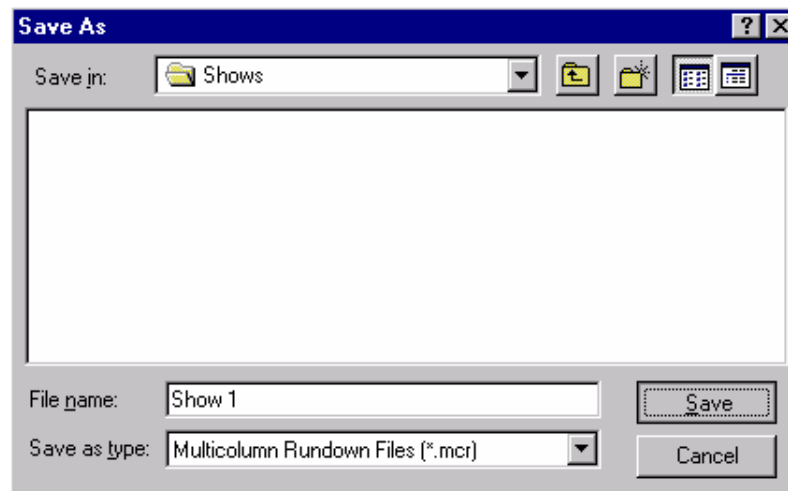
OR use the Save button on the Toolbar: 

### 7.4.2 Saving a Rundown

When you have saved scripts you need to save the rundown. To do this open the File menu and choose Save to File:

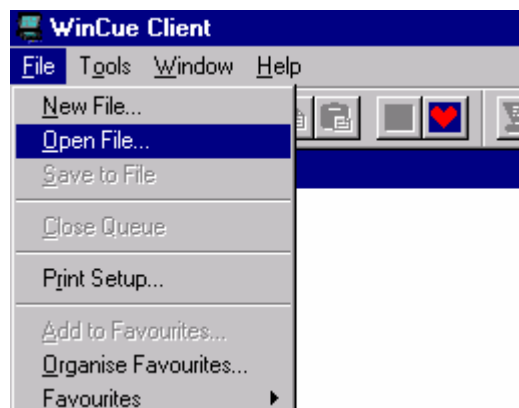


Enter a file name and select the directory to save to and click on Save:

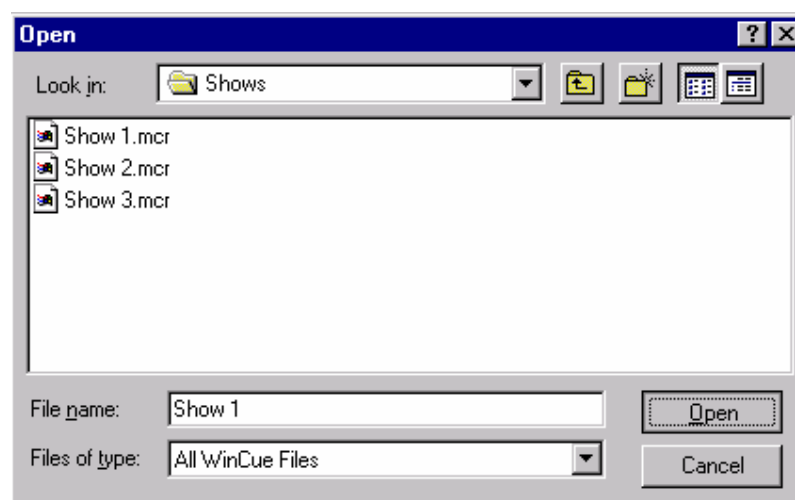


## 7.5 Opening a previously saved rundown

To open a previously saved rundown open the File menu and select Open File...



Select the Rundown file you want to open and click Open:



## 7.6 Changing the Script Characteristics

You can change sections of text in the scripts by highlighting the section of text and use the toolbars to change the characteristic. There are various ways of highlighting the text.

### 7.6.1 Highlighting Text in the Editor

You can highlight text using the mouse or the keyboard. Refer to table below:

<i>Keys you press</i>	<i>Function</i>
Shift + →	One character to the right
Shift + Ctrl + →	To the end of a word
Shift + Home	To the beginning of a line
Shift + End	To the end of a line
Shift + Page Up	One screen up
Shift + Page Down	One screen down
Shift + Ctrl + End	To the end of a script
Shift + Ctrl + Home	To the beginning of a script
Ctrl + A	Highlight all text

### 7.6.2 To change the font

#### *What you do*

Highlight the section of text to change and click on the Font button. Select the required Font and size and click OK.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



### 7.6.3 To change the style and colour of text

#### What you do

Highlight the section of text you want to change with the mouse and click on the required style button on the toolbar:



Bold



Underline



Italic

Click required colour on the toolbar.

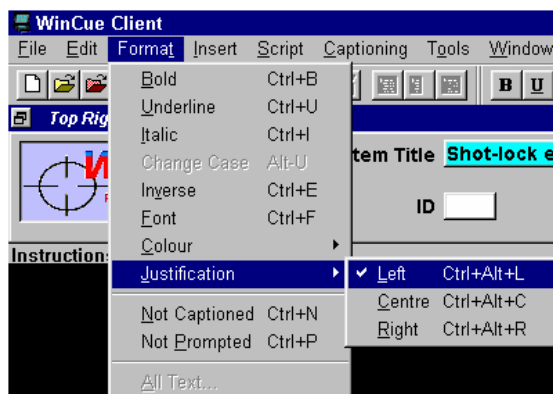


#### Comments/Prompts

### 7.6.4 Justifying the Text

#### What you do

Open the Format menu and select Justification. From the sub-menu appears select Left, Centre or Right. Once selected it will have a check mark (✓) against it. When you begin typing the text will be justified according to your selection.



OR highlight the text and click on the justify buttons on the toolbar.



### 7.6.5 Changing the case

#### What you do

Highlight the text to change and click on the Change Case button.



#### Comments/Prompts



### 7.6.6 To invert the background colour and the text

The default colours of the text in the editor is white text on a black background, you can invert this to black text on a white background.

#### *What you do*

Select the section of text to inverse with the mouse and click on the Inverse button.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



Inverse button

If the text was blue on a black background clicking on the inverse button will change the text to black on a blue background.

### 7.6.7 Captions

Those of you running WinCue with a caption generator may want to select particular parts of the script that won't be sent to the caption generator. Select the text by highlighting, then choose Format, then Not Captioned from the menu. The marked text will not be sent to the caption generator.

### 7.6.8 Format All

For simple formatting of the entire script choose Format then All text... from the menu. The Format All dialog box will appear. To select Bold, Itallic, Underline, Inverse simply press the button. To change the font press the Font button, a Select Font dialog box will be displayed, choose your font and size. When your happy with your selection click OK.

### 7.6.9 Not Prompted Text

There may be text within your script that you don't need to prompt. Select the text by highlighting, then choose Format, then Not Prompted from the menu. This text will then not appear on the prompter's output.

### 7.6.10 Finding Words in a Script

To search for a particular word in the current script, choose Edit, then Find, or just press Shift F3. A dialog box will appear. Type the word you are looking for and click OK. WinCue searches from the current cursor position to the bottom of the script. If it finds the word you specified, it will highlight it, otherwise it will ask if you want to continue searching from the top of the script. A warning will be displayed if the word is not found. You can search for the same word again by choosing Edit, then Find Next, or by pressing F3.

### **7.6.11 Replacing Words in a Script**

To replace one or more words within the current script, choose Edit, then Replace. The Replace dialog box will appear. Type the word or phrase you wish to find in the 'Find what:' box, and the word or phrase you want to replace it with in the 'Replace with:' box. Then use the Find Next and Replace buttons to control the replacements manually, or click the Replace All button to automatically make the changes.

## 7.7 Printing

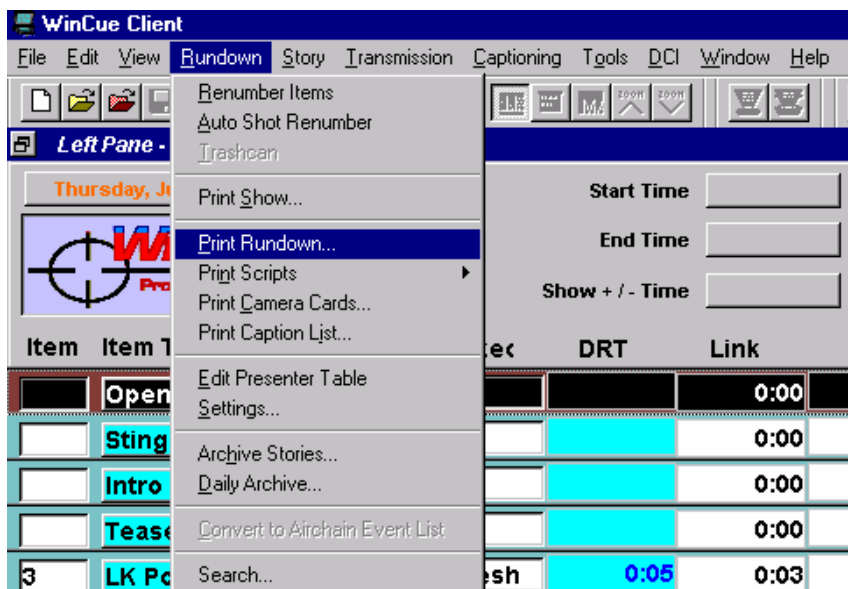
### 7.7.1 Printing Rundowns

#### *What you do*

Open the Rundown menu and select Print Rundown.

Then from the print dialog box select the required number of copies and print layout and click OK.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



### 7.7.2 Printing the Show

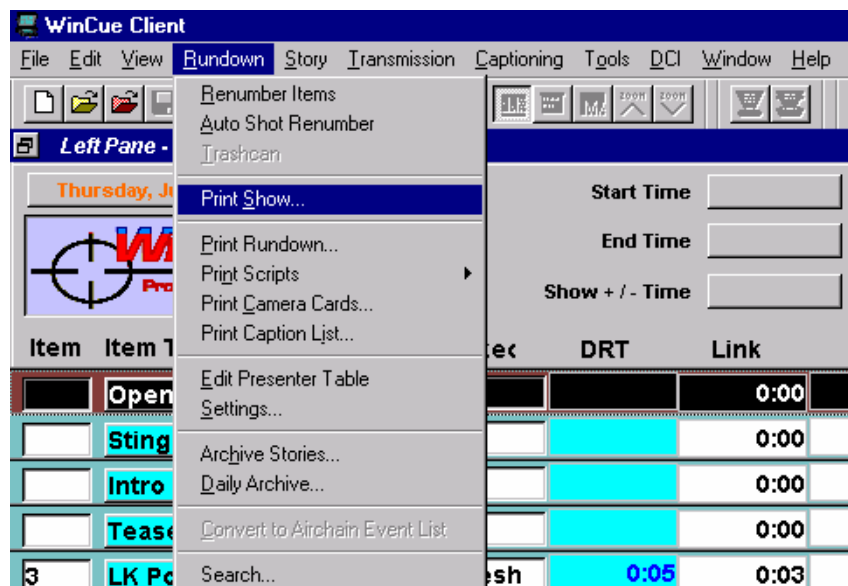
There is an option to print the entire show, with all the scripts.

#### *What you do*

Open the Rundown menu and select Print Show...

Then from the print dialog box select the required number of copies and print layout and click OK.

#### *Comments/Prompts*



# Chapter 8

## Presenter Settings

In this chapter we learn how to change the default presenter settings, add presenters to the presenter table, modify their settings and how presenter profiles can be used to copy settings to other rundowns.

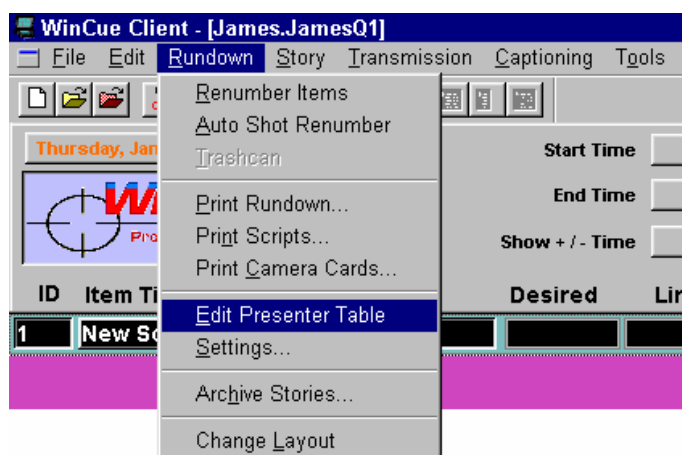
### 8 Presenter Settings and Profiles

Presenters settings allows you to customise settings for individual presenters. The font, colour, style and read rate can be allocated for individual presenters. These settings will be automatically applied to the script when the presenter is selected. You can change the presenter settings for individual queues and then save them as a presenter profile which can then be loaded into other queues.

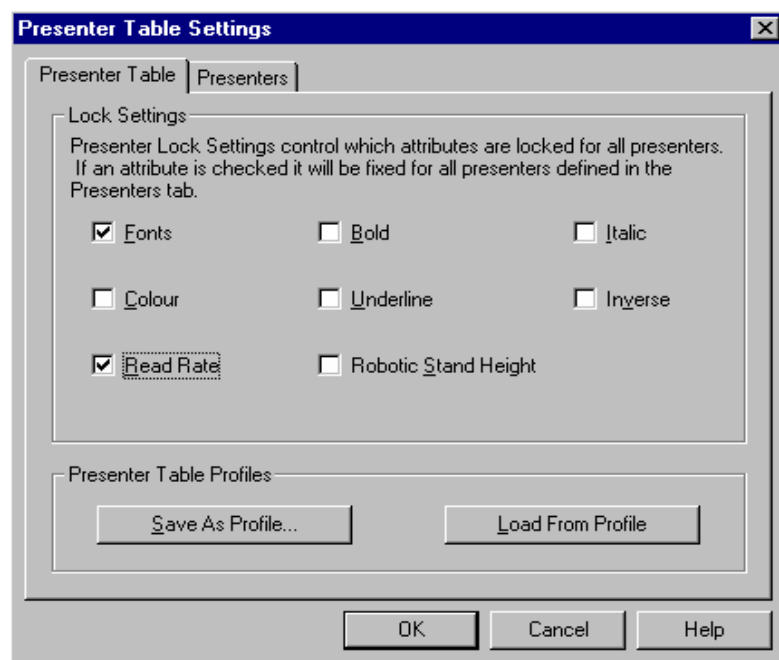
#### 8.1 Changing the Default Presenter settings

##### 8.1.1 Changing the Default Read Rate

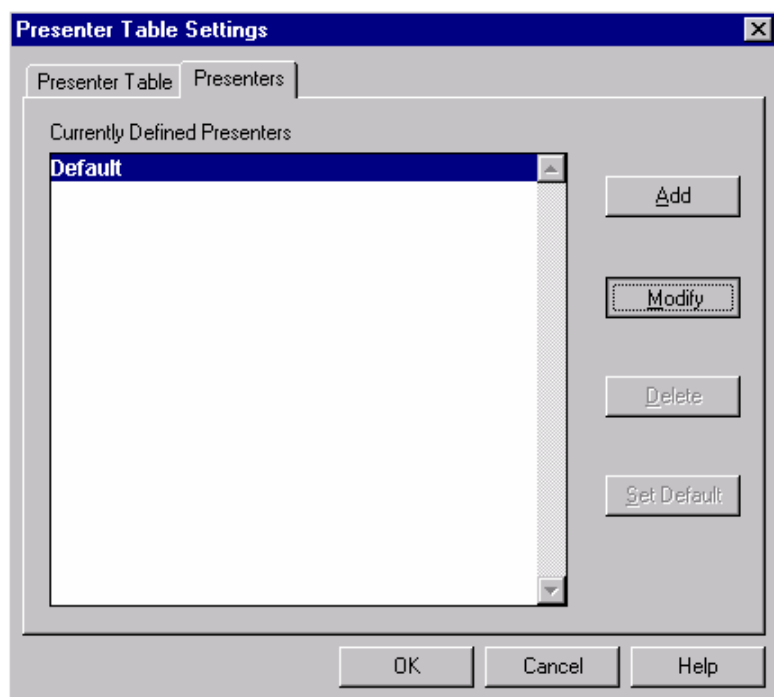
The default WinCue presenter uses the default read rate of 180. To change the default read rate open the Rundown menu and select Edit Presenter Table:



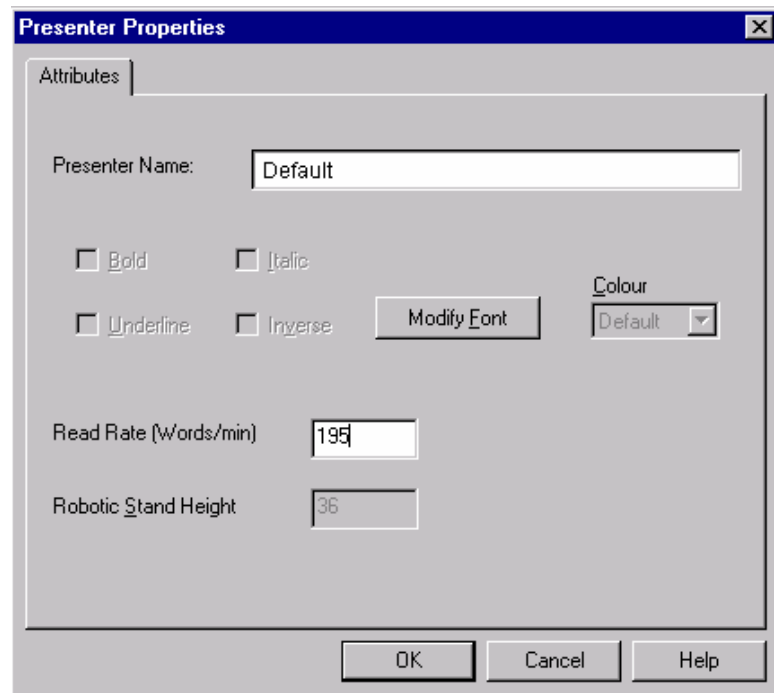
The Presenter Table Settings window will open:



Presenter attributes must be enabled here before they can be modified set by clicking in the relevant checkbox to select it (✓). Now click on the Presenters tab to display the list of Currently Defined Presenters. To modify the default presenter select Default and click the Modify button:



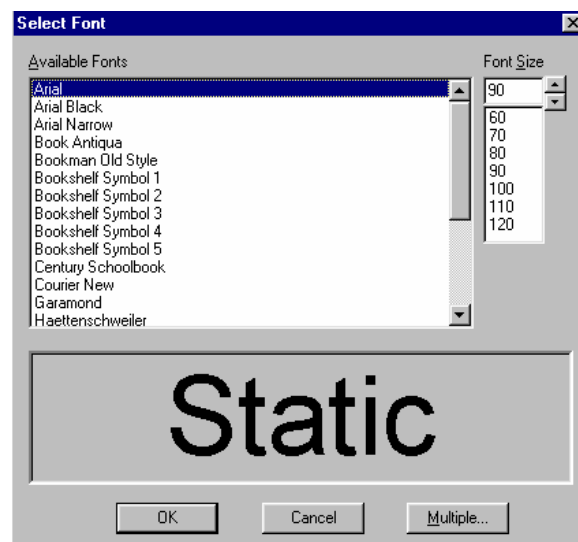
The Attributes tab is then displayed:



In the Read Rate text box, type in the new value for the default read rate e.g. 195 and click OK.

### 8.1.2 Changing the Default Font and Font Size

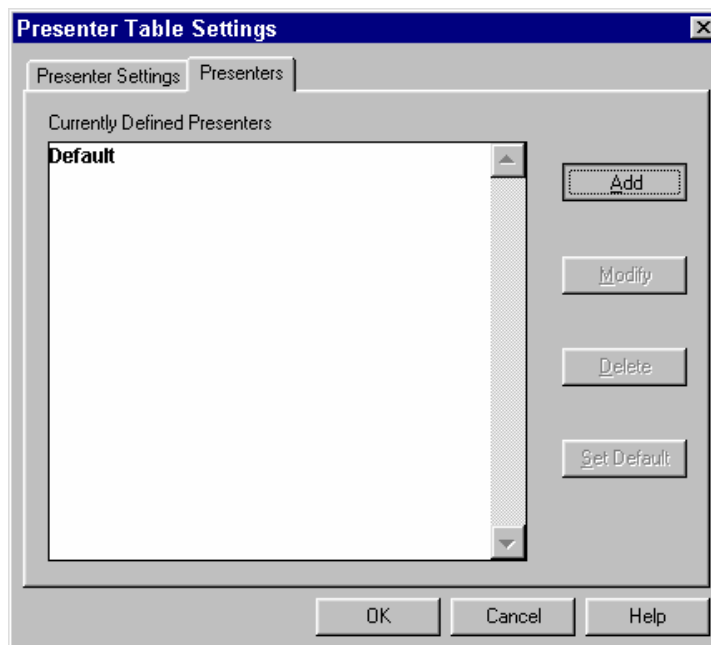
WinCue can prompt any font installed on your PC. You can change the font used for any new scripts you create by changing the default. This is done the same way as changing the read rate, in the Presenter Attributes window as above. Click the Modify Font button and the Select Font dialog box appears:



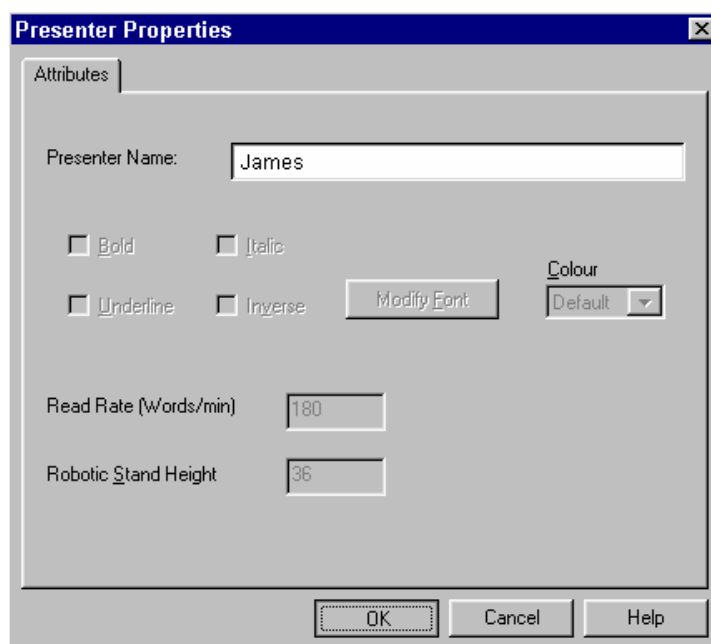
Select the required font from the list of available Fonts and set the required font size. A preview of your selection will be displayed. When you are happy with the font settings click on OK.

## 8.2 Adding a New Presenter

Open the Rundown menu and select Settings to open the Presenter Table Settings window. Click on the Presenters tab to display the list of Currently Defined Presenters:



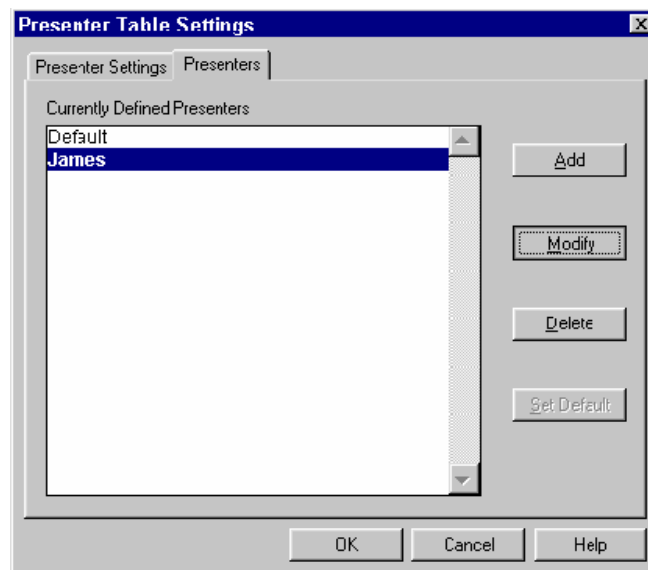
Click the Add button to open the Presenter Properties window:



Enter the presenter's name e.g. James in the Presenter Name text box and click OK. The presenters name you just added will then be shown in the list of Currently Defined Presenters.

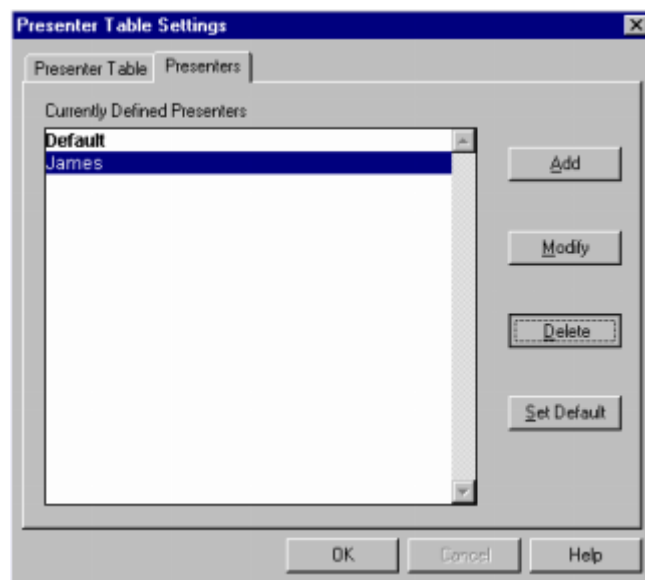
### 8.3 Changing a Presenter's Settings

Select the presenter in the list of Currently Defined Presenters and click the Modify button.



### 8.4 Deleting a Presenter

To delete a presenter select that presenter and click Delete.



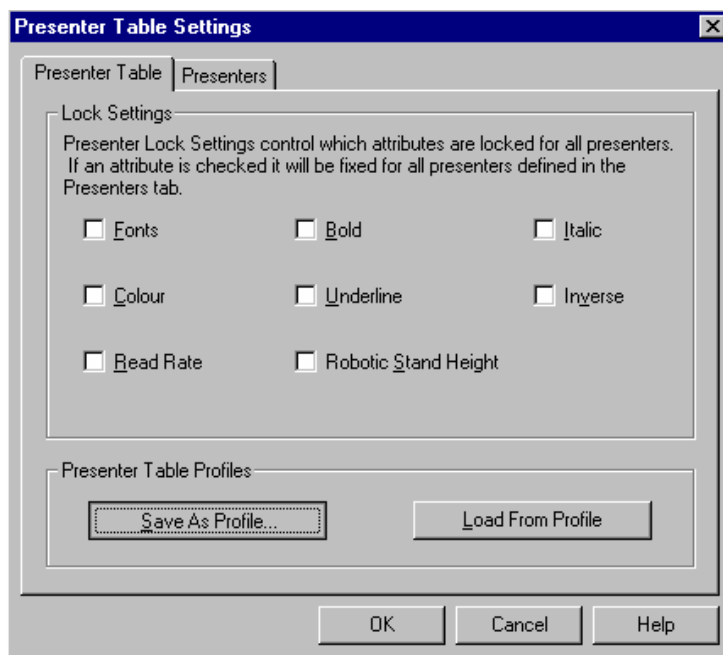
*Please note if you delete a presenter that is in a script the presenter is removed from the script as are all their settings. The default presenter settings are then used instead.*



## 8.5 Presenter Profiles

### 8.5.1 Saving Presenter Profiles

Open the Rundown menu and choose Edit Presenter table. In the Presenter Table window click on Save As Profile. In the Object Name box enter a name for the profile and click OK.

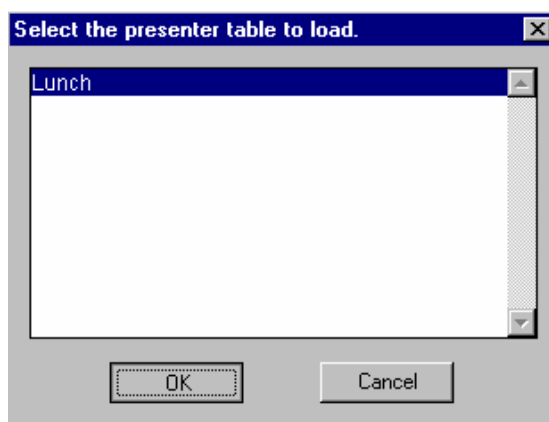


### 8.5.2 Loading Presenter Profiles

Open the rundown queue that you want to copy the presenter profile to. Open the Rundown menu and select Edit Presenter Table. Click on the Load From Profile button:



Select the presenter profile to load and click OK:



# Chapter 9

## WinCue Rundowns

In this chapter we learn more about WinCue rundowns, editing within them, working with multiple rundowns and copying items between them. Also covers configuring the columns in the Script Editor and global window settings.

### 9 Working with Rundowns


#### 9.1 The WinCue Rundown window

NO	TITLE	WORDS	LINK	PROMPT	CUMULATIVE
	Introduction	69	0:23	Prompt Here	0:23
	Headlines	84	0:28	Prompt Here	0:51
	Sports News	54	0:19	Prompt Here	1:10
	Break A	0	0:00	Prompt Here	1:10
BREAK ITEM					
	Feature 1	17	0:05	Prompt Here	1:15
	Main News Feature	8	0:02	Prompt Here	1:17
	England v Poland	34	0:11	Prompt Here	1:28
	US Open - Rusedki, Agassi	20	0:06	Prompt Here	1:34
	Weather	13	0:04	Prompt Here	1:38
END OF RUNDOWN		299	1:38		

### 9.1.1 Features of a WinCue Rundown

The Black bar denotes the selected item in the rundown. Break items are in blue. The NO field is the unique ID number for each item/story in the rundown, the TITLE field is the title of the item, The WORDS field displays the word count of words in the script and the LINK field is the calculated time it will take for this script to be presented based on the read-rate set. (The Default read-rate is 180 words per minute). Each item in the rundown has a Prompt Here button which can be clicked at any time to begin prompting from that item. The CUMULATIVE field displays the cumulative Link time for the rundown up to the end of each item. At the END OF RUNDOWN the total number of words and total link time for the rundown is shown.

## 9.2 Creating a New Rundown

To create a new Rundown queue open the File menu and select New File... or click the New file button on the toolbar: 


### 9.2.1 Adding a New Story to the Rundown

Creating a new story adds a new item to the rundown. Open the Story menu and select New Script... Enter the title of the item and click OK.

### 9.2.2 Adding Break Scripts


You can insert a Break Script in a rundown to denote a commercial break. Open the Story menu and select New Break Script... Enter the title of the break and click OK.

### 9.2.3 Saving Scripts and Rundowns

It is good practice to save the rundown and scripts regularly to ensure no information is lost accidentally. To save scripts open the Script menu and select Commit Changes or click on the Save button on the toolbar: 

To save a rundown open the File menu and choose Save to File. A Save As dialog box will be displayed. Enter the required name for the queue and click on Save.

### 9.2.4 Moving Stories within the Running Order

The stories within a rundown can be reordered very easily using the drag and drop facility in WinCue. Drag-and-drop is the easiest way to move a story within a Rundown. Select the story you want to move by pointing to it and hold down the left-hand mouse button. When the drag and drop pointer appears,  drag the dotted insertion point to the new location. Release the mouse button to drop the story in its new place in the runorder.

### 9.2.5 Renumbering Stories in the Rundown

The stories within a rundown can be renumbered at any stage when lines are added or deleted. Open the Rundown menu, and select Renumber items.

## 9.3 Editing within the Rundown

It is possible to edit the rundown and the attached stories in the rundown window. This will be quicker and often more convenient than the pull-down menus. To do this click once with the right mouse button on the story you wish to edit. A menu appears next to the cursor. This section describes the commands available from this menu.

### 9.3.1 Adding a new script

Open the Story menu and select New Script or New Break Script,

**OR** press Insert on the item in the Rundown you want to insert above,

**OR** you can right-click on the item you want to insert above and select New Script or New Break Script from the popup menu.

### 9.3.2 Editing a Script

Select the item you want to edit, open the Story menu and select Edit,

**OR** press Enter on the selected item,

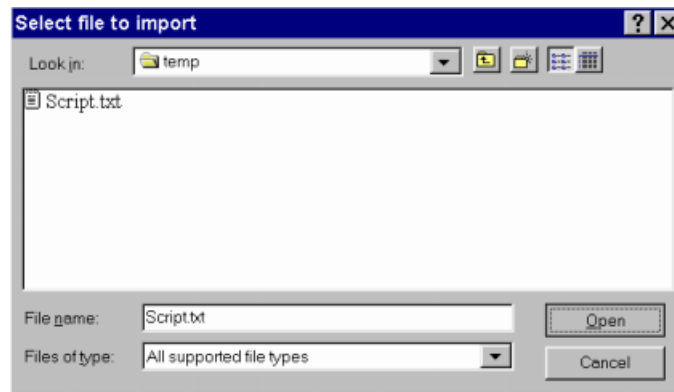
**OR** you can right-click on the item to edit and select Edit Script.

### 9.3.3 View Story

If you don't want to edit a story you can view it only by right-clicking on that item and selecting View Story from the pop-up menu.

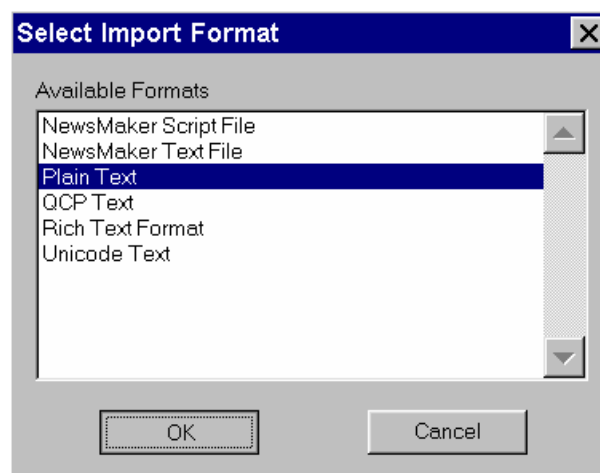
### 9.3.4 Importing files

You can import files saved in other formats such as Word or plain Text into WinCue rundowns. Open the rundown queue you wish to import to. Open the Story menu and select **I**mport File... Select the file to import and click **O**pen:

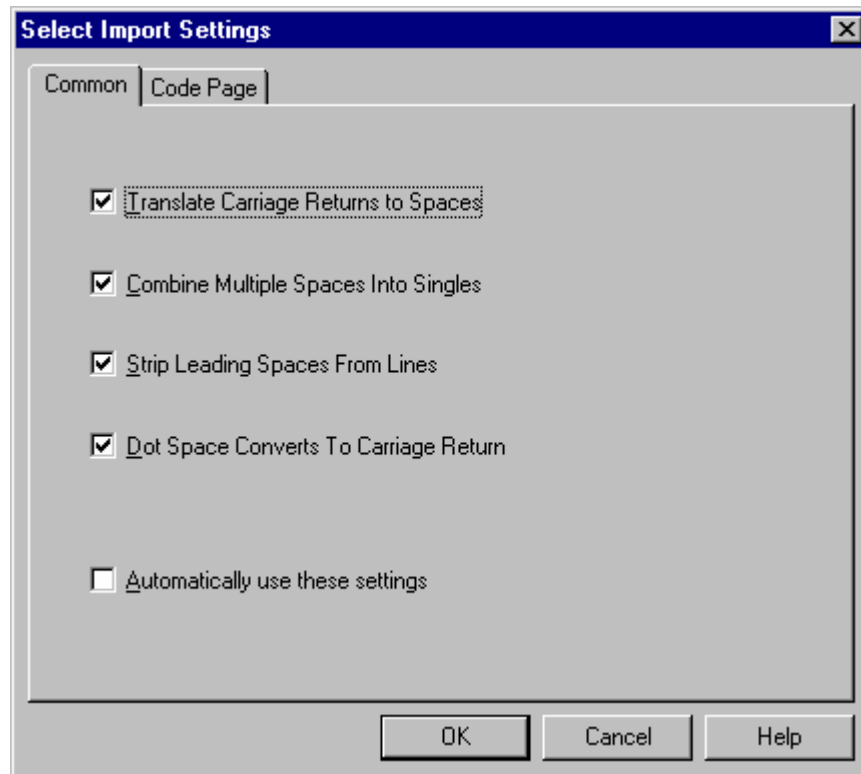


Alternatively you can simply drag and drop the file from Windows Explorer into the required position in the rundown.

Select from the list of available formats e.g. Plain Text and click OK:



Select the required import settings and click OK:



Click the Automatically use these settings checkbox if you want to prevent this dialog box appearing again. The imported file will then appear as a new item in the rundown.

You can also import into an existing script or story in the rundown. Open the story or script by double-clicking on it. Open the Insert menu and select File... Select the file to import and click Open.

After selecting relevant options where applicable the imported text will be inserted into the opened story/script.

Alternatively you can drag and drop the file into the required position in the script.

### 9.3.5 Deleting Stories

To delete a story in the rundown select that item, right-click and choose Delete from the menu or press the Delete key. A dialog box will appear asking if you're sure you want to delete this item. Click Yes to delete.

If the item you want to delete is open you will get a message that the story is already open by user... on computer... And you won't be able to delete this item until the item is closed.

To delete multiple stories from the rundown, select them by holding the Control key down and clicking once on each of the stories you wish to delete from the Rundown, to highlight them and press the Delete key. A dialog box asking if you're sure you want to delete these scripts will appear. Click on Yes to delete.

### 9.3.6 Editing the fields of an item in the rundown

You can change data in fields in the rundown by clicking once to select the field and clicking again to highlight the field, which can then be edited. Or you can right-click on the field and select Edit Field. You can then overwrite the contents of the field or move the cursor into position to edit. Or press F2 anywhere on the item line to edit the first field. Press ENTER to save the change or Press the TAB button which takes you to the next field and saves the change. SHIFT+TAB takes you back a field. Press ESCAPE to finish the process. To clear a field right-click on it and select Clear Field.

When a field is highlighted, you are in Edit mode and can move up and down the rundown in that field using the cursor keys or press the TAB key to jump to the next field of the item. You will remain in edit mode until you finish the process by pressing ENTER to save any changes or by pressing ESCAPE.

### 9.3.7 Toggle Hold State

You may wish to put an item in the rundown on hold if it is not ready or you don't want it to be part of the transmission, so it is not prompted and included in any timing calculations. To put an item on hold, right-click on that item in the rundown and choose Toggle Hold State from the pop-up menu. That item will then be in blue. To take off hold repeat the process.

### 9.3.8 Move to Air Next

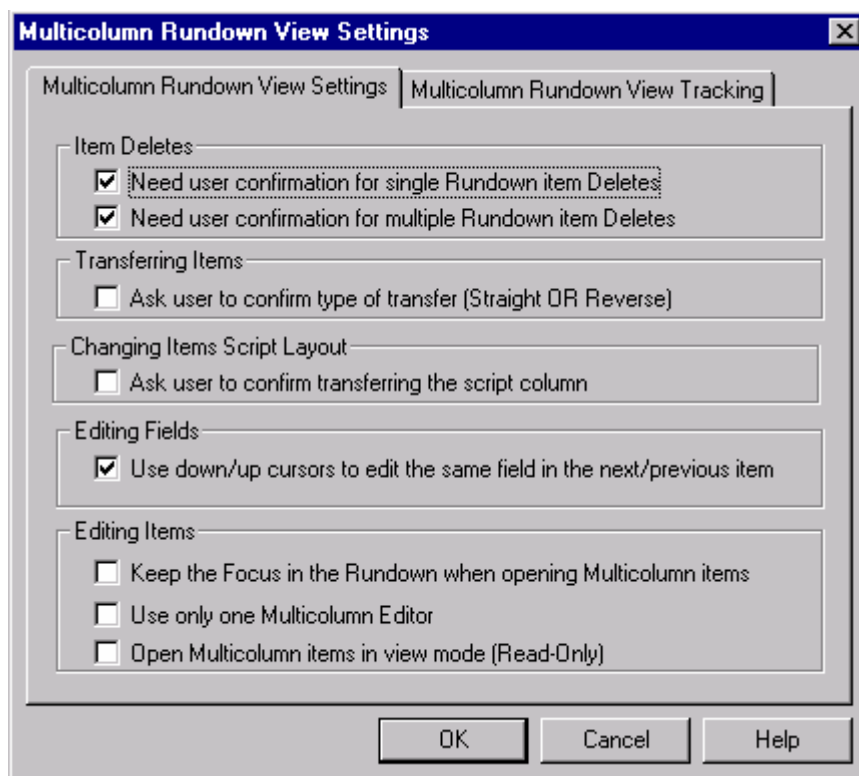
The Move To Air Next command allows you to begin prompting from anywhere within the rundown. To do this right-click on the item you want to prompt from and select Move to Air Next from the popup menu.

**OR** you can click on the Prompt Here button adjacent to each item in the rundown: 

The item selected changes to yellow and you can start scrolling from there.

## 9.4 View Settings

There are various view settings available in the rundown by opening the View menu and selecting Settings...

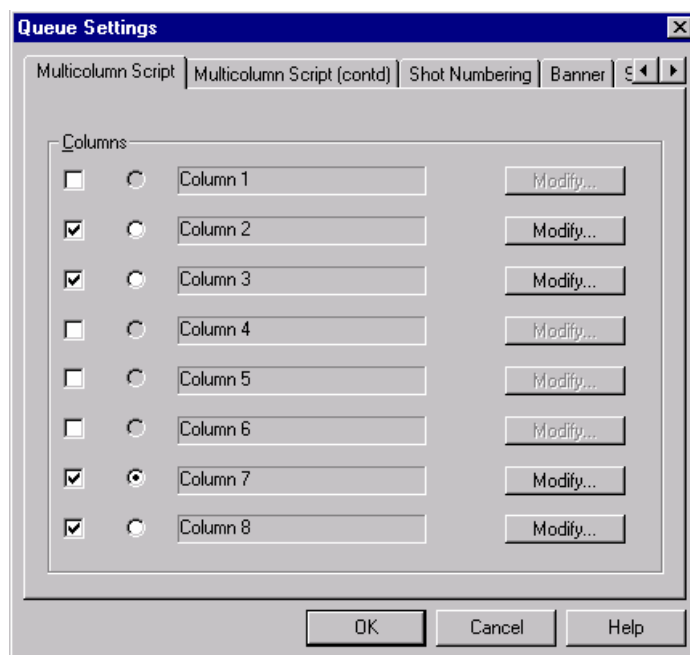


You can select options for deleting and transferring items, editing fields and items and when opening items. Turn the appropriate option on or off by clicking in the adjacent checkbox (✓). Click OK to save the changes.



## 9.5 Modifying the Columns in the Script Editor

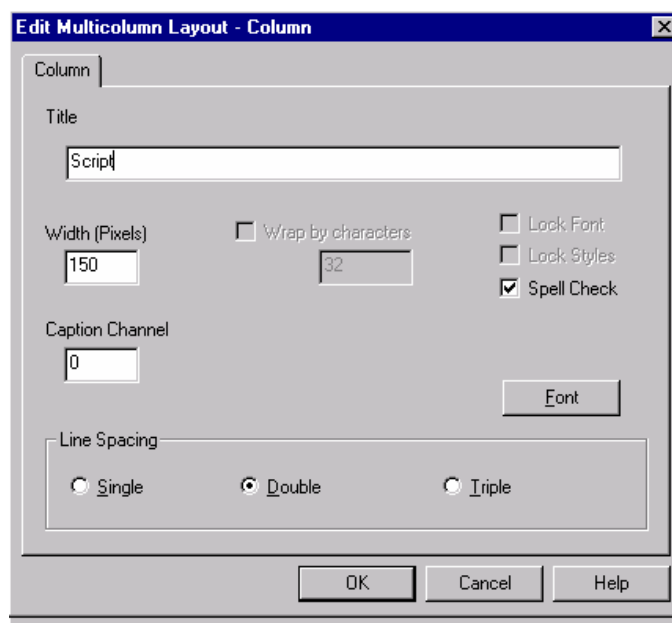
To modify the Columns in the Script Editor such as renaming them, open the Rundown menu and choose Settings:



The Column with the radio button checked is the Script Column and the only column in which the Word count and Link time boxes will work. You can change the script column to be any one of the 8 Columns.

### 9.5.1 Modifying a Script Editor Column

To modify the layout of a column click the Modify... button for the Column you want to modify.

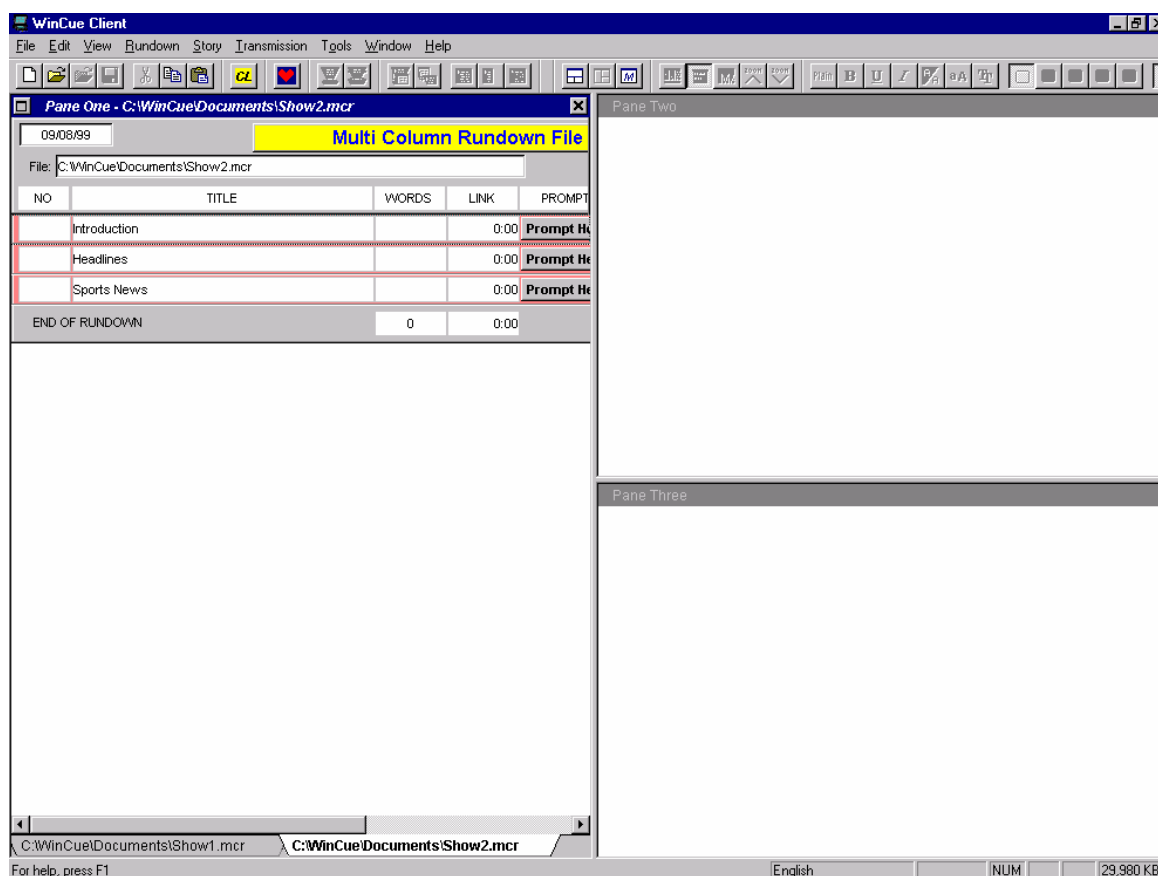


You can rename the column by changing the Title, change the width and specify single, double or triple line spacing. If you are not modifying the script column you can select Lock Font and Lock Styles to prevent the font or style being changed in the column. If you want the spell checker enabled for use select this option here. To change the default font click on the Font button and select the required style and size.

## 9.6 Working with Multiple Rundowns

WinCue allows you to have a large number of rundowns and Script Editor windows open at the same time. There are a number of standard tools to help organise multiple rundown windows.

Open 2 queues using the Open Queue button: 



The tabs for the 2 rundowns open are displayed on the window at the bottom left of the window.

You can move one of the rundowns open in the same pane to another pane, by dragging the tab for that queue and dropping it into another pane. That pane's settings will then be updated to allow that type of queue or item to be opened in that pane in future. The same applies for multiple stories open in a pane, dragging the tab for a story

to another pane moves the story into the new pane and updates its settings to allow stories to be opened in that pane in future as above.

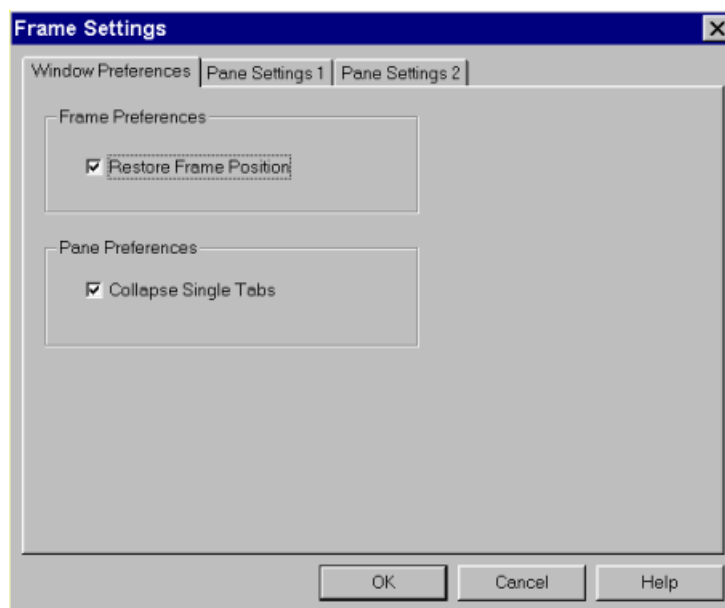
### 9.6.1 Copying stories between rundowns

You can copy stories from one rundown to another. To do this, open the rundowns in individual panes. Select the story you want to move by clicking on it to highlight it and holding the left mouse button down drag the mouse pointer to the new location in the rundown you are copying to, and release the mouse button.

To copy multiple items hold down the Control key and click once on the items you want to copy and drag and drop to the required location in the new rundown.

## 9.7 Window Settings

You can set preferences for windows and panes, by opening the Window menu and select Settings...

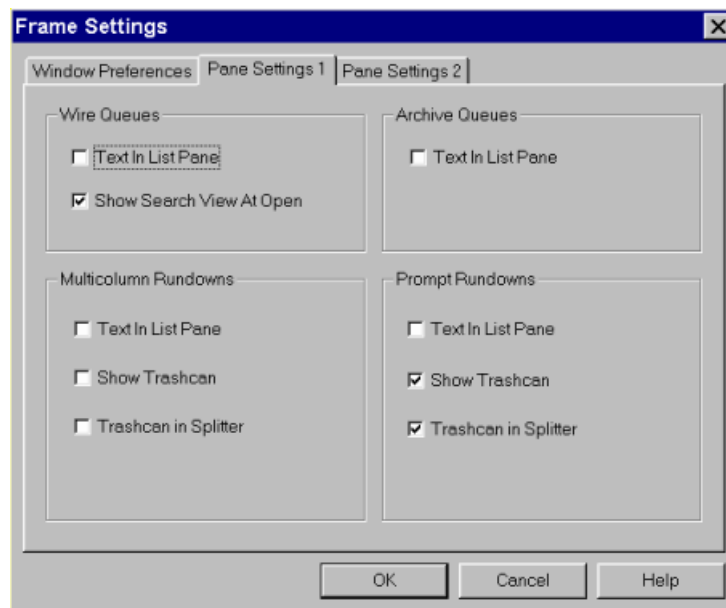


On the Window preferences tab there are 2 options:

Restore Frame position – this option restores the position of the main WinCue client window, when closed and reopened.

Collapse single tabs – this option removes the tab for a queue or item in a pane when only one queue or item is open in that pane. If you had more than 1 queue or item in a pane, and closed them all except one so that there should be only 1 tab visible, then this tab is collapsed.

Use the Pane Settings tabs to set preferences for panes:



For each type of queue you can specify view options, by clicking in the relevant checkbox (✓).

Text in List Pane – this option is if you want to view text of items in the same pane as the rundown.

Show Search View at Open – this option is only available for Wire Queues and Assignment Desk (in Pane Settings 2 window) if you want the search results window to open when you open a wire queue.

Show Trashcan – this option is only available for multicolumn and prompt rundown queue files and is if you want to open a trashcan file when you open a multicolumn queue file. If selected a trashcan file is opened behind the rundown file, so will display 2 tabs in the pane.

Trashcan in Splitter – this option relates to the above and is only available if the Show Trashcan option is selected. This option allows you to view the trashcan file in a split pane.

# Chapter 10

## Prompting Scripts

In this chapter we learn how to prompt scripts in a running order, how to use the scroll controllers and the various prompting options available.

### 10 Prompting scripts in a queue

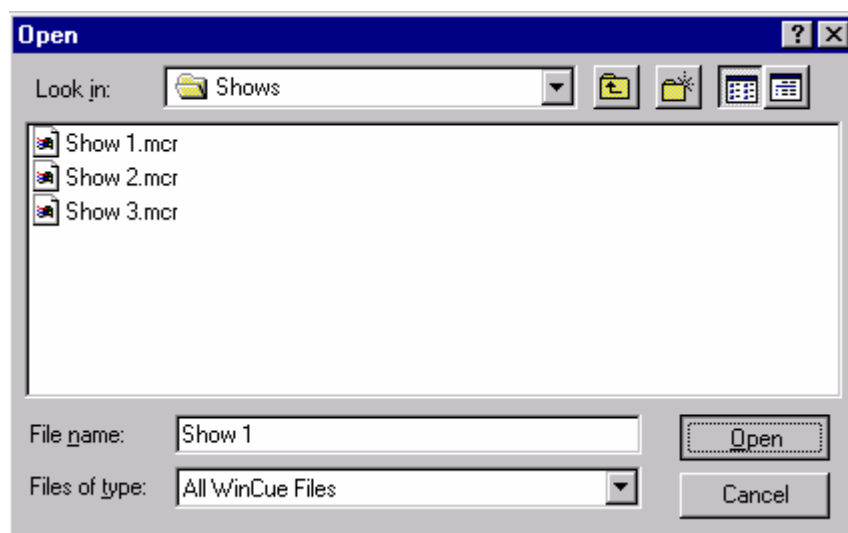
Firstly open the queue file you want to prompt from.

#### 10.1 Opening a Queue

Click the Open File button on the toolbar:



Select the queue you wish to open and click Open.



#### 10.2 To start prompting

To begin prompting click the Begin Prompting button on the toolbar:



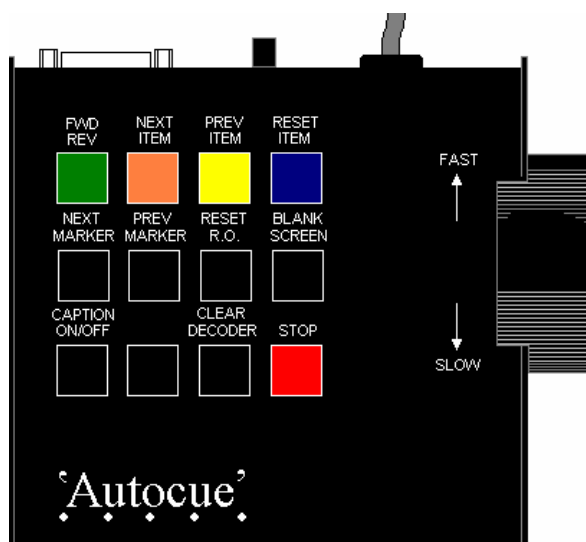
The first item on the rundown list appears yellow indicating that this is the current item prompting. The prompter operator can now control the text on the prompter using the scroll controller they have. When prompting the Word Count box and Time box will switch to yellow.

## 10.3 Scroll Controllers

### 10.3.1 Hybrid multi-button scroll controller

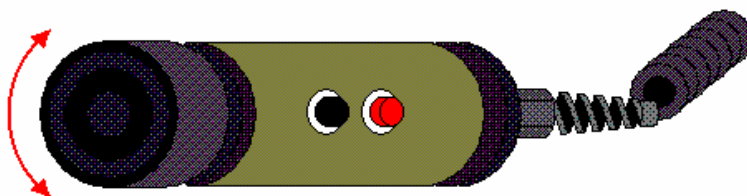
To start scrolling the text turn the knob at the end of the scroll control clockwise to speed up and anti-clockwise to slow down. Use the buttons on the scroll controller, which are clearly labeled, as required.

#### □ The Multibutton Scroll Controller



To stop scrolling turn the scroll knob fully anti-clockwise or press the Stop button.

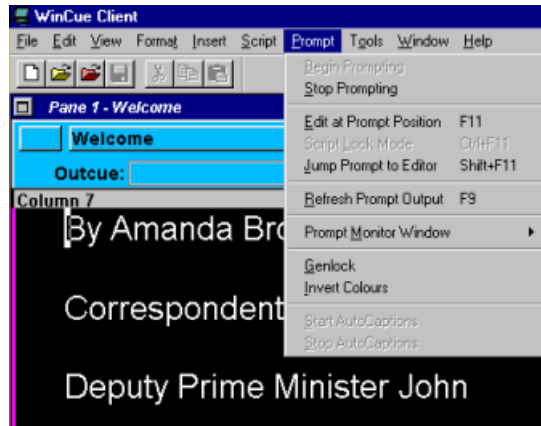
### 10.3.2 2-button Hand Scroll Control





To scroll the text, turn the knob at the end of the scroll control clockwise to speed up and anti clockwise to slow down. To change the direction of the prompted text press the black button. To jump to the next marker press the red button

To stop scrolling turn the scroll knob fully anti-clockwise or press the Stop button.

There are options available whilst prompting which are accessible on the View menu or via keyboard shortcuts. Refer to the table below for a description of these options and their shortcuts.

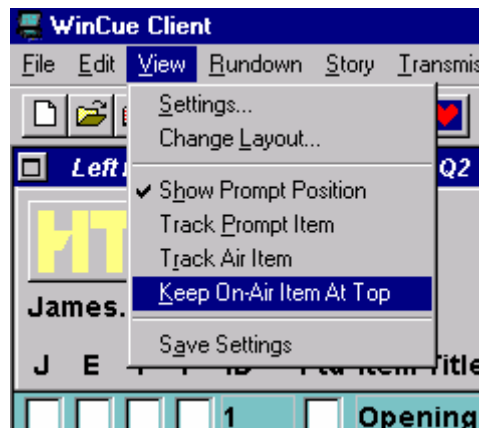


A check mark (✓) indicates the command is on.

Option	Description	Shortcut key	Toolbar button
<u>E</u> dit at Prompt Position	Allows editing at current prompt position	F11	
Script <u>L</u> ock Mode	Stops prompting and sets prompter at the beginning of current item	CTRL+F11	
<u>J</u> ump prompt to editor	Jumps the prompt output to the position the user's at in the Script Editor.	SHIFT+F11	
<u>R</u> efresh Prompt Output	Skips back a couple of lines and continues prompting	F9	

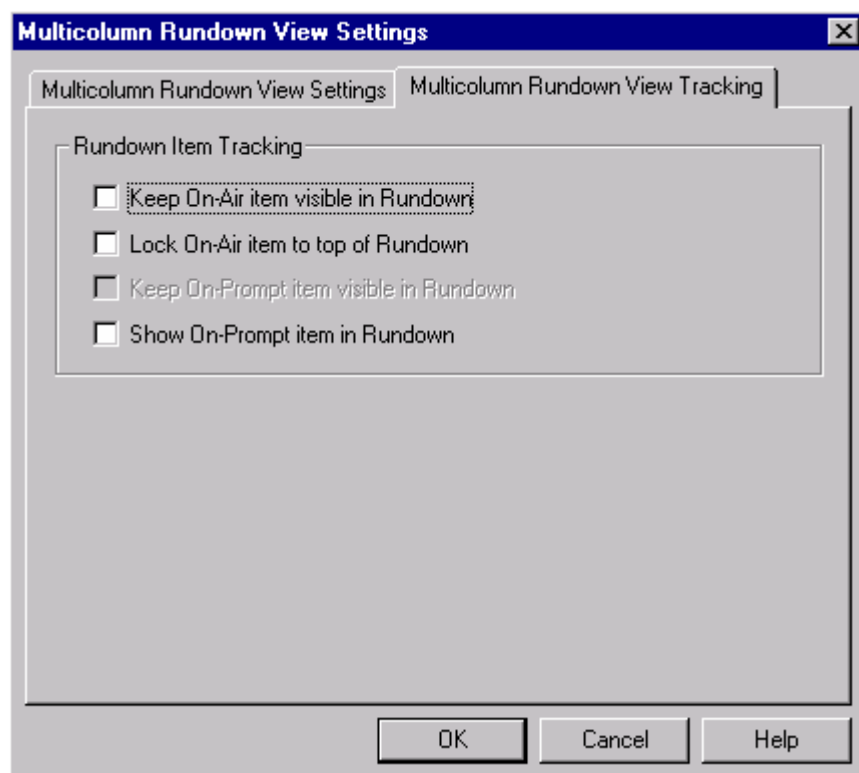
## 10.4 Prompting options

There are several options available when tracking rundowns that are being prompted, by opening the View menu and selecting Settings... You can keep track of the prompt item or the on-air item so that the yellow bar or red bar respectively is visible on longer rundowns that don't fit a single page on the screen. You can also keep the on-air item at the top of the visible portion of the rundown. To set these select the appropriate option/s on the View menu so that it is ticked:



You can make these settings permanent by opening the View menu and selecting Save Settings. You will get a message that your Preferences have been saved.


**OR** open the View menu, select Settings... and click the Multicolumn Rundown View Tracking tab:



Clicking in the appropriate checkbox to select it (✓) will set that option permanently. Click OK to save the changes. These settings will be retained next time you start WinCue.



### 10.4.1 Prompting with the Script Column displayed

If you have your screen arranged so that the rundown is displayed in one pane and the script being prompted in another pane, with the AutoScale Column to Window option set (by clicking ) , make sure you open the View menu and select Save View Settings. This ensures that when the next item is prompted the Script retains the AutoScale Column to Window setting.

If you want to prevent each item opening when prompting in the above manner and just have the item being prompted open, you need to right-click on the title bar of the pane and select Pane Settings... Then click the Other tab and select the Restrict to a single text view option by clicking in the relevant checkbox (✓).

## 10.5 To quit prompting

To stop prompting click the Stop Prompting button on the toolbar:



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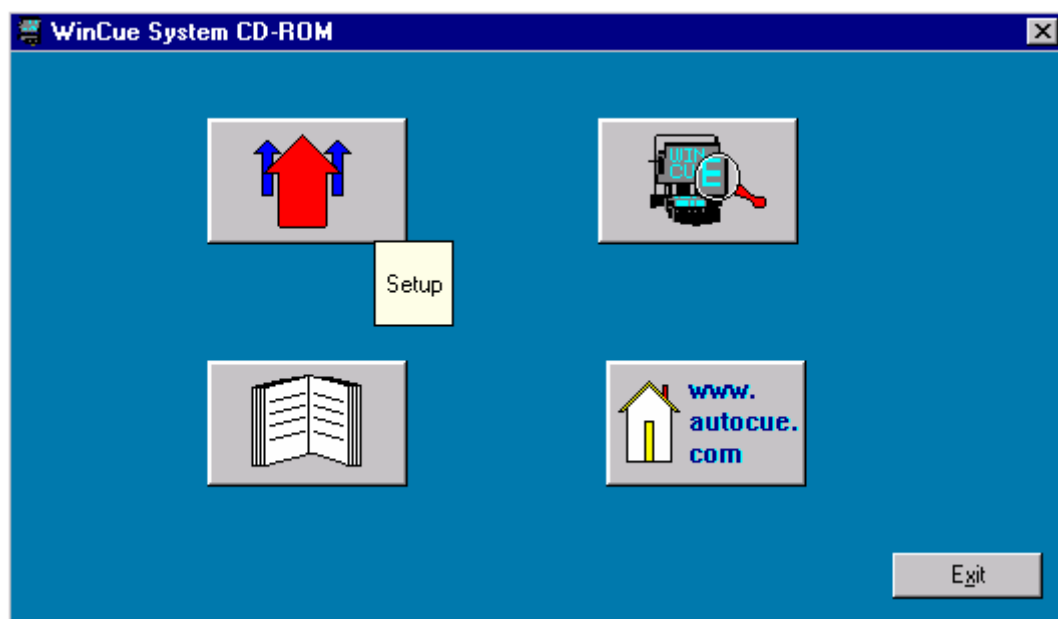
## Upgrading the Software

In this chapter we cover the procedure involved to upgrade the WinCue software.

### 11 Upgrading WinCue

When you are ready to upgrade your system you will receive a CDROM with the latest WinCue files on.

Insert the CDROM in the drive and the Autorun program should start:



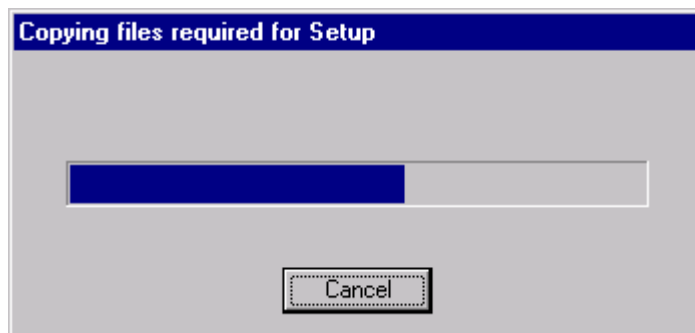
Click the Setup button at the top left of the window.

If Autorun does not start, click Start and choose Run.

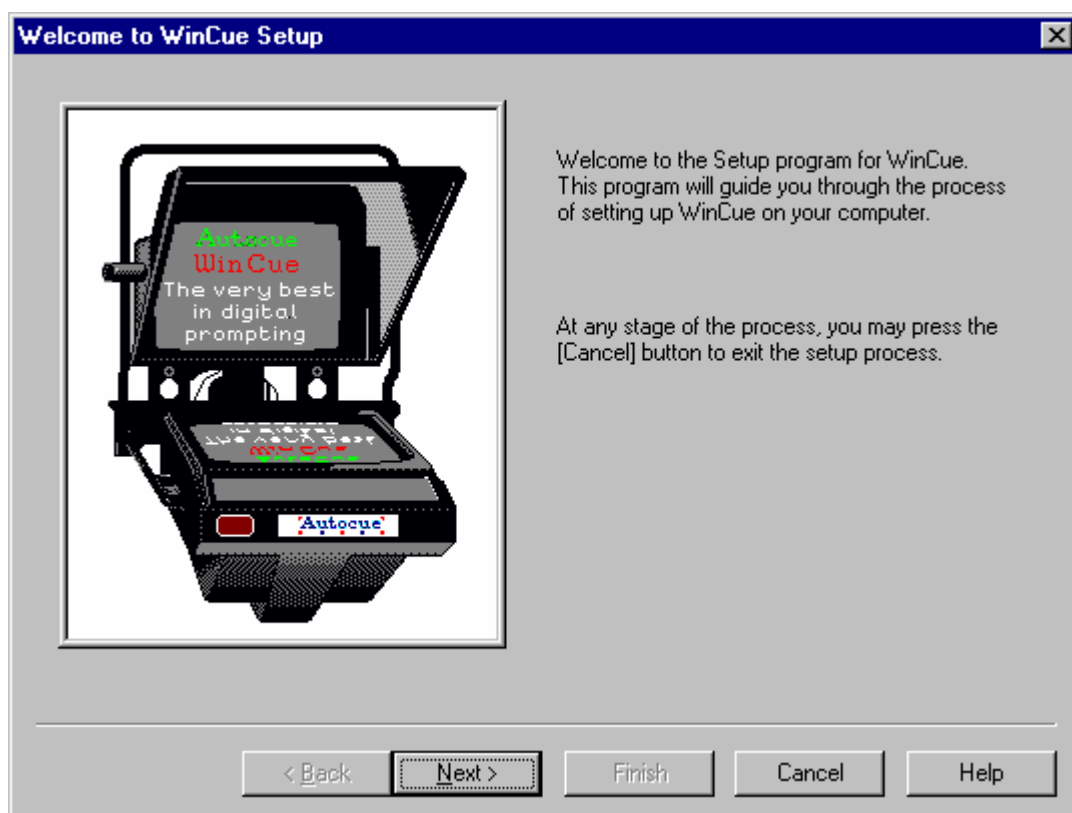
Enter D:\SETUP\SETUP in the dialog box and click OK:



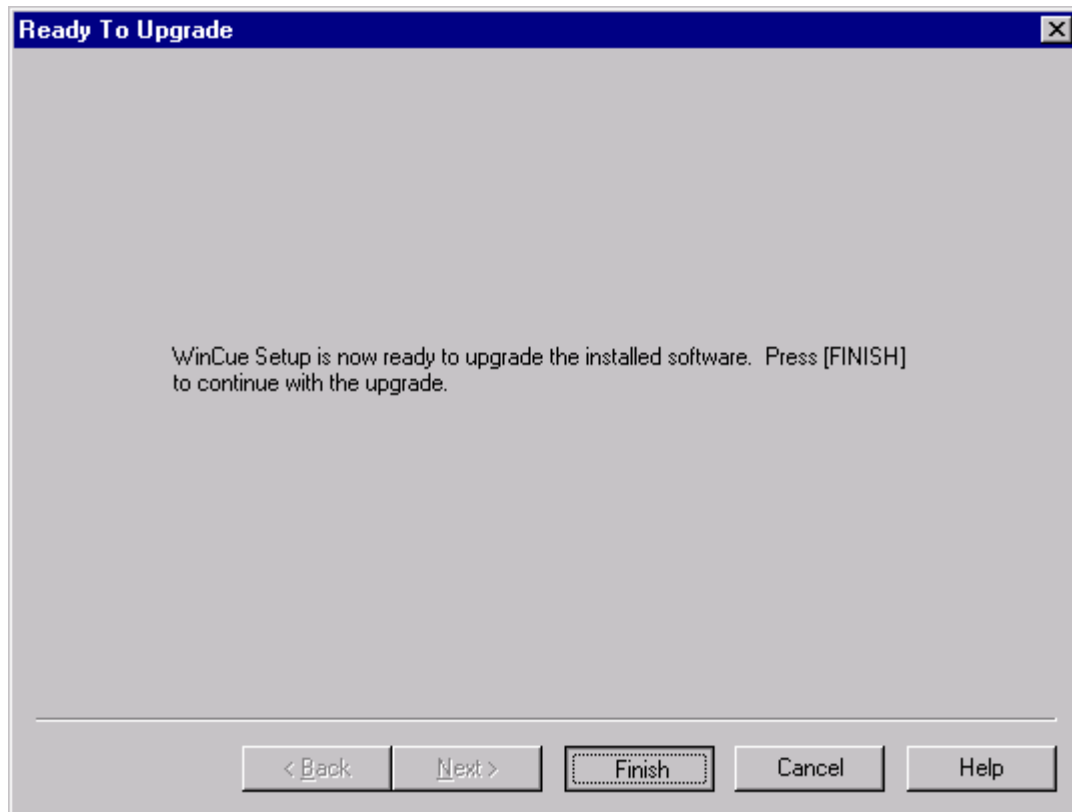
The files required for Setup will begin copying:



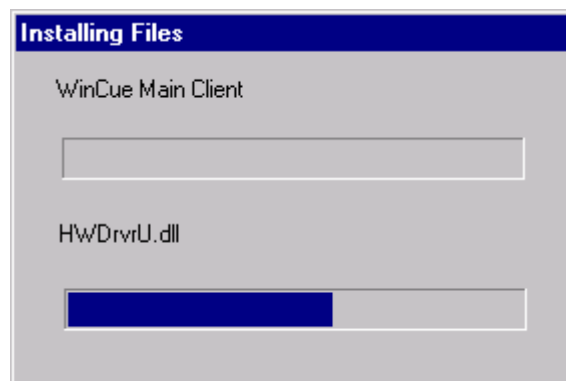
When the WinCue Setup banner appears click on Next >



When you get the message asking if you are ready to upgrade your system, click on continue.



Click Finish to continue with the upgrade. The files will install with a progress dialog box:



If a WinCue Setup dialog box appears asking if you wish to replace a file, check the date and time stamp of the file in question. If the new file is later click on Replace. If it's the same or earlier as in this case click on Skip.

When the upgrade has finished you will get a message that Setup has completed successfully. Click OK and the prompter will shutdown and restart automatically.

## Appendix A - WinCue Installation Help

*There are issues to look out for when installing WinCue:*

WinCueNews only works on Windows 95, 98 or Windows NT 4.0. It is not recommended to have a SCSI hard disk or any other SCSI device on the same SCSI bus as the IMT Card. If you have to then see the SCSI documentation below. We recommend using an Adaptec 2906 SCSI adapter in a desktop PC. Ensure that the Adaptec SCSI cards ROM BIOS is not a Version 1.3x, if so apply downgrade which can be obtained from Autocue. Use an Adaptec 1460 SlimSCSI adapter in a laptop PC.

For both desktops and laptops do not use a motherboard that uses an Intel TX chipset. Only use genuine Intel processors. We recommend you don't use an Intel Celeron processor.

Ensure that the installed SCSI drivers match those in the following SCSI documentation.

### **WinCue IMT cards and SCSI cards**

#### **Laptop systems (SlimSCSI 1460d)**

If WinCue stops on 42% the problem is to do with the version of the Windows SCSI driver ( sparrow.mpd ) which is located in: C:\WINDOWS\SYSTEM\IOSUBSYS\

the version needed to correct the problem is:

SPARROW.MPD = 17K, 24/08/1996

which can be obtained from Autocue.

#### **Desktop systems (2906)**

If you get the message "fatal there are no security providers available sentinel not found" when trying to run WinCue, check the aic78xx SCSI device driver is enabled in Control Panel-Devices. It should be set to startup automatically by clicking Startup and selecting Startup Type: Automatic.

#### Windows 95

If WinCue stops on 10% the problem is to do with the version of the Windows SCSI driver for the Adaptec 'aic78xx.mpd' which is located in: C:\WINDOWS\SYSTEM\IOSUBSYS\.

the version needed to correct the problem is:

AIC78xx.MPD = 31K, 24/08/1996

which can be obtained from Autocue.

SCSI Hard disks on the same SCSI BUS as IMTCard:

Certain drives do things to the SCSI bus that prevent the IMT from working particularly SCSI drives from Micropolis, Quantum and Western Digital. Some drives should work providing the SCSI address(ID) of the IMT card is higher (a lower number) than the SCSI disk E.G. IMT address(ID) is 3 then hard disk is 4 or above. Drives that should work are Seagate, O'Connor and IBM. It is also important that only one device on the SCSI bus is terminated. The device located at the end of the cable must be the only one terminated. By default the IMT card is terminated, and is expected to be connected to the end of the SCSI cable. SCSI termination is set using jumpers or switches on the SCSI devices, consult the relevant manuals for further details.

The following tables detail hardware devices recommended for use with WinCueNews. If you wish to use devices not listed here, please contact your vendor.

## SCSI Cards

Autocue has tested a range of SCSI cards. Those listed below have been found suitable for use with WinCueNews. If you do not find your SCSI card listed below, please contact your vendor.

### SCSI Cards for Desktop PCs

Manufacturer	Type	Bus
Adaptec	2906	PCI

### SCSI Cards for Laptops

Manufacturer	Type	Bus
Adaptec	APA 1460A-2 Slim SCSI	PCMCIA

## Appendix B The I.M.T. Card

In the following appendix we will look at the entire configuration options available for the I.M.T. board.

### Contents

Card Layout	B2
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Video (PAL or NTSC) - J11	B5
SECAM	B5
External Power Supply - J12	B6
Composite Video Features Connector - J10	B6
Other Jumpers	B6

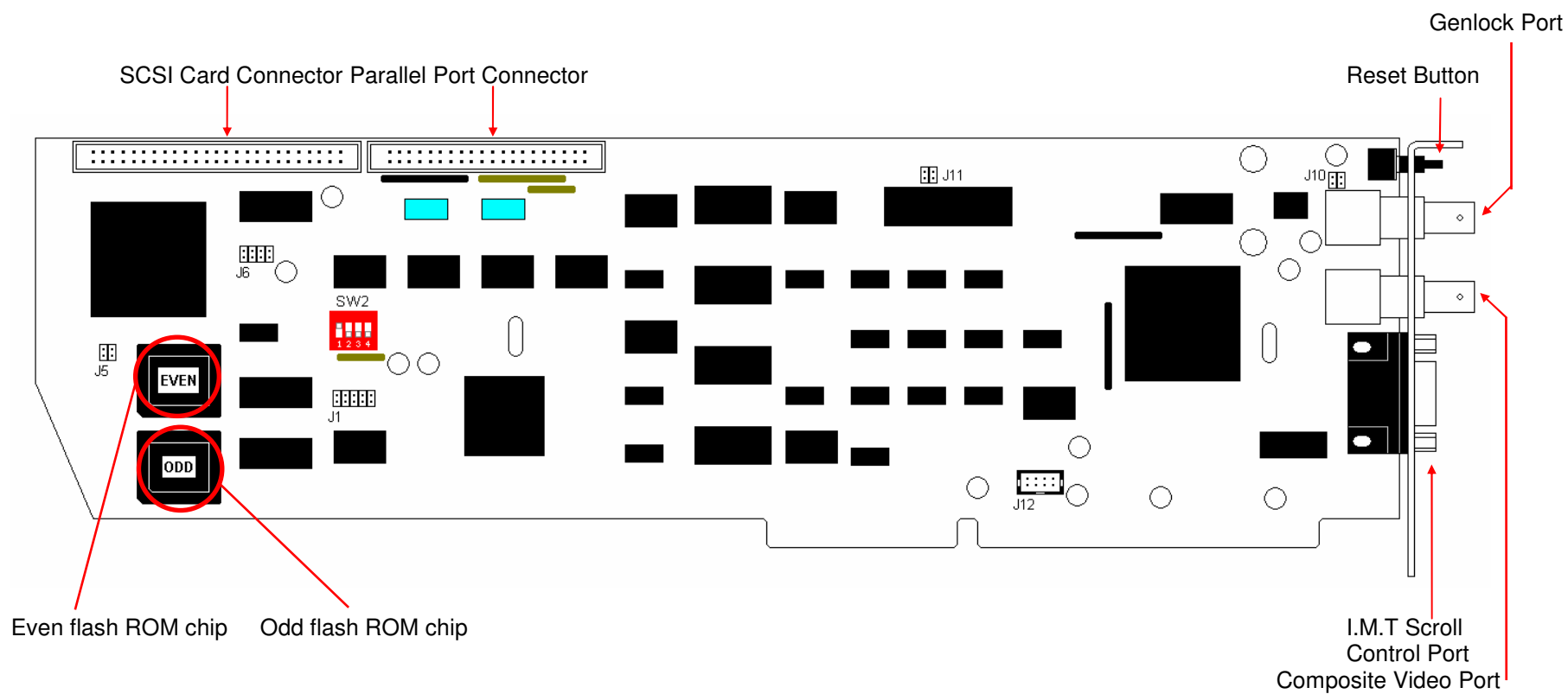
**The I.M.T. card is configured at the factory to work in your country. It is unlikely that you will need to make any changes to it. If you do, read the relevant section(s) carefully, or consult your supplier for further help before changing the configuration of the board.**

### B2 Card Layout

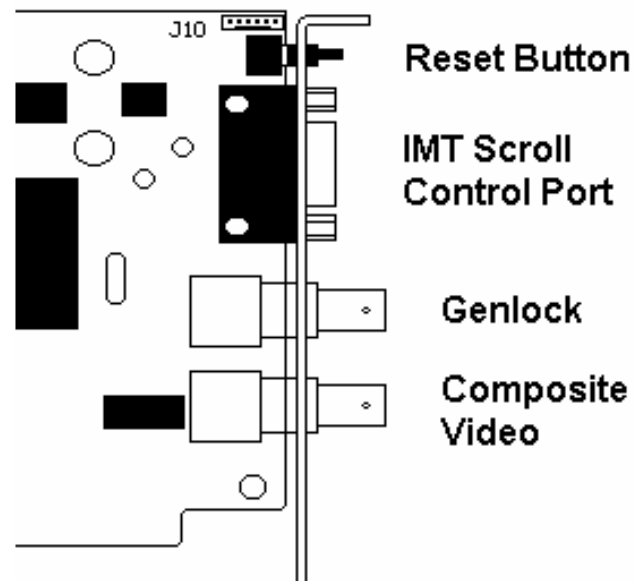
The following section shows the 3 I.M.T. card layouts that have been produced over the years, most recent of which being the Issue 3 I.M.T card. You will have been supplied with one of the 3 IMT cards, use the diagrams below to help you locate all the connectors and jumpers on the card that you have been supplied with.



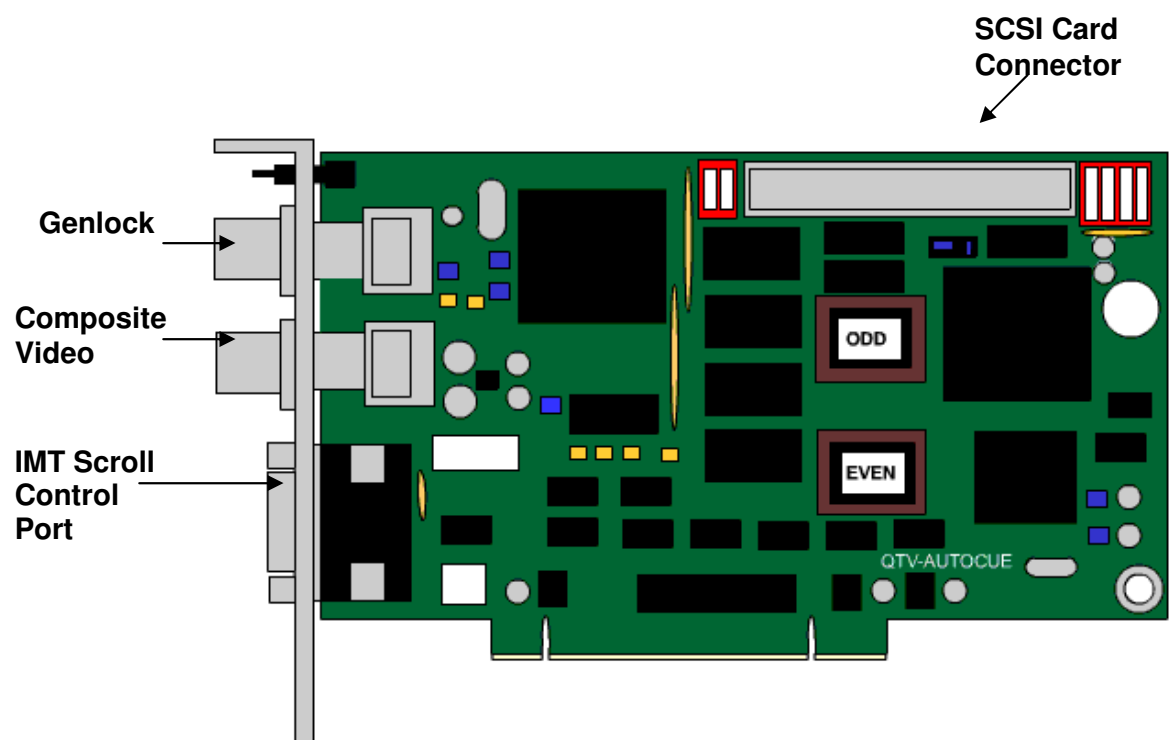
## IMT Card – Issue 1.



## IMT Card – Issue 2. Connector Detail



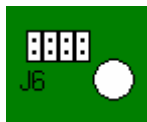
## IMT Card – Issue 3. PCI card



### B3 Termination - J6

See below to learn about power to bus SCSI Termination settings

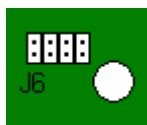
By Default the I.M.T. card is terminated, and expects to be connected to the end of the SCSI cable. Termination can be enabled/disabled by changing a jumper setting on J6.



To enable termination of the I.M.T. card place a jumper on leftmost pins of J6	
To disable termination of the I.M.T. card remove the jumper on leftmost pins of J6	

### B3 Power to Bus for SCSI Termination - J6

J6 is used to determine whether the I.M.T. card is terminated and to determine the source of termination power.

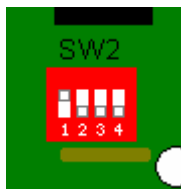


If you have enabled termination on the SCSI card you will need to set the source of termination power.

To enable external termination power for the SCSI bus connect pins 5 and 7 of J6	
To enable internal termination power to the SCSI bus connect pins 7 and 8 of J6	

### B4 SCSI ID - SW2

By default, SCSI ID is set to 3. It can be changed using dipswitches 1,2 and 3 on SW2.

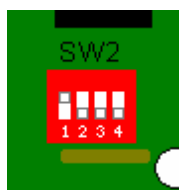


When a dipswitch is in the top position it is on. When it is in the bottom position it is off. The dipswitch positions for each SCSI ID is shown in the table below:

SCSI ID	Dip Switches			
	1	2	3	
0	On	On	On	
1	On	On	Off	
2	On	Off	On	
3	On	Off	Off	
4	Off	On	On	
5	Off	On	Off	
6	Off	Off	On	
7	Off	Off	Off	

### B4 SCSI/Parallel Select - SW2

The I.M.T. card can prompt using data sent through either the SCSI port or parallel port of your PC. By Default it is set up to use SCSI. Dip switches 4 on SW2 controls whether the SCSI or parallel port is used.



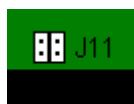
When a dipswitch is in the top position it is on. When it is in the bottom position it is off. The dipswitch positions for SCSI/parallel port selection is shown in the table below:

Port	Dip Switch	
	4	
SCSI	Off	
Parallel	On	

### B5 Video (PAL or NTSC) - J11

The I.M.T. card can produce either a PAL or NTSC composite video signal. The signal available from the composite video port will have been set at the factory, prior to dispatch. The signal type can be changed by setting a jumper on J11 (Card Issue 1) or with switch 3 (Card Issue 2).

Issue 1



Issue 2



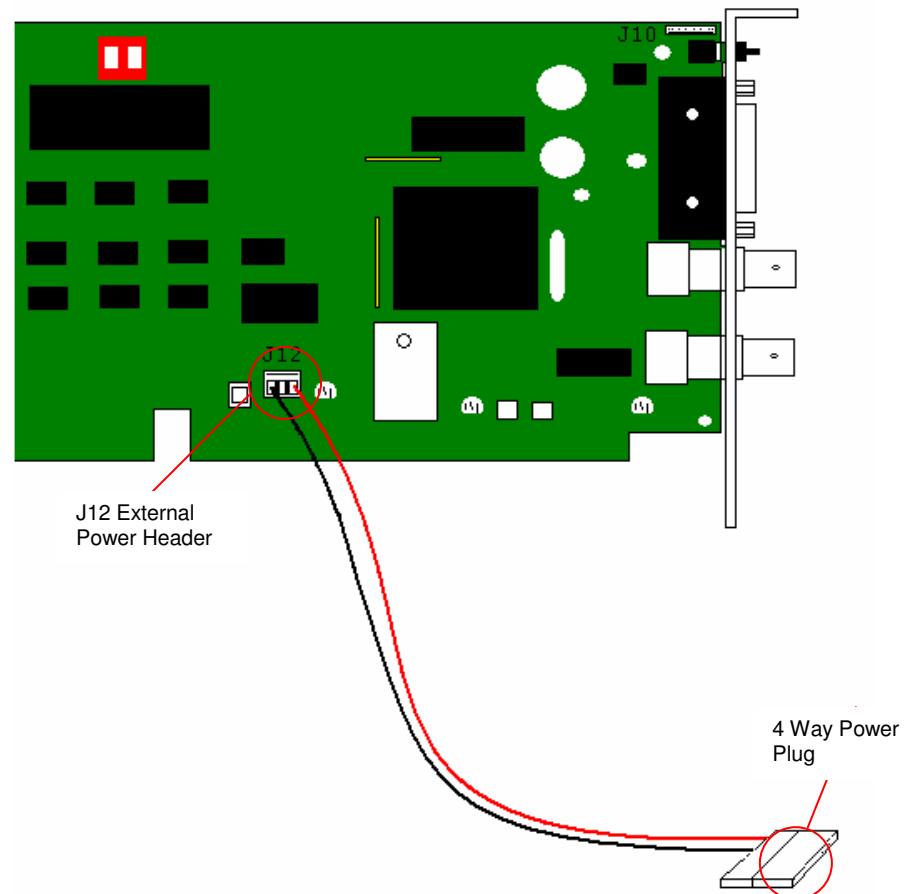
To enable NTSC place a jumper on leftmost pins of J11, or turn Switch 1 on.		
To enable PAL remove the jumper on leftmost pins of J11, or turn Switch 1 off.		

## SECAM

To configure the I.M.T. card for SECAM composite video output use the same jumper setting as PAL on J11. In the WinCueNews software, from the Prompt menu choose Configuration then Prompt Engine and ensure that Colour Burst is disabled. These settings will generate a mono composite output.

### B6 Internal and External Power Supply - J12

If there is not an ISA slot available in your PC for the I.M.T. card you will have to use the J12 External Power Header (as shown in the diagram below) to connect the IMT card to your PC's power supply. To do this firstly check to see if you have a free power socket in your PC, then use the supplied power adapter cable to connect the J12 External Power Header to a free Power Header on your PC's power supply.



In systems where the I.M.T. card is not fitted inside the PC, it is powered by an external power supply. This power supply is connected to J12. This

appears as an 8-pin connector on Issue 1 cards, and a 3-pin connector on Issue 2 cards.

If you need further information about powering the I.M.T. card from an external power supply please contact your supplier.

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### **B6 Composite Video Features Connector - J10**

The Composite Video Features connector allows additional 4 composite video ports to be added to your PC. To find out more about this product contact your supplier.

Do not attach anything to any of the pins on J10.

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### **B6 Other Jumpers**

#### **J1 and J5**

J1 is the debug port. It supplies serial debugging information. Do not attach anything to any of its pins.

J5 is the flash reset port. Do not attach anything to any of its pins.

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## Appendix C Wiring Diagrams

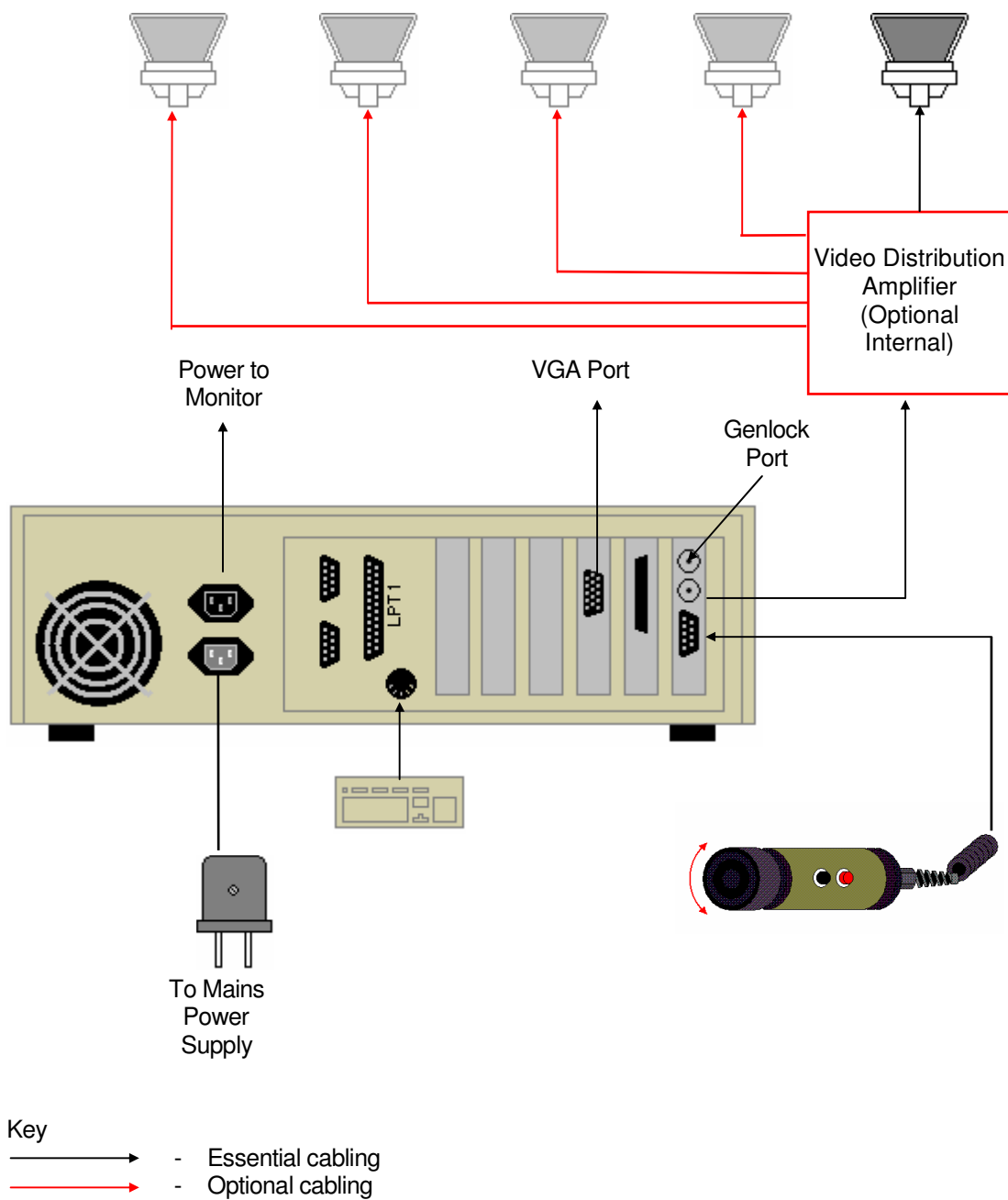
The following Appendix contains wiring diagrams to aid you in connecting WinCue in a number of configurations. You may find that many of the wiring diagrams are not appropriate for your system.

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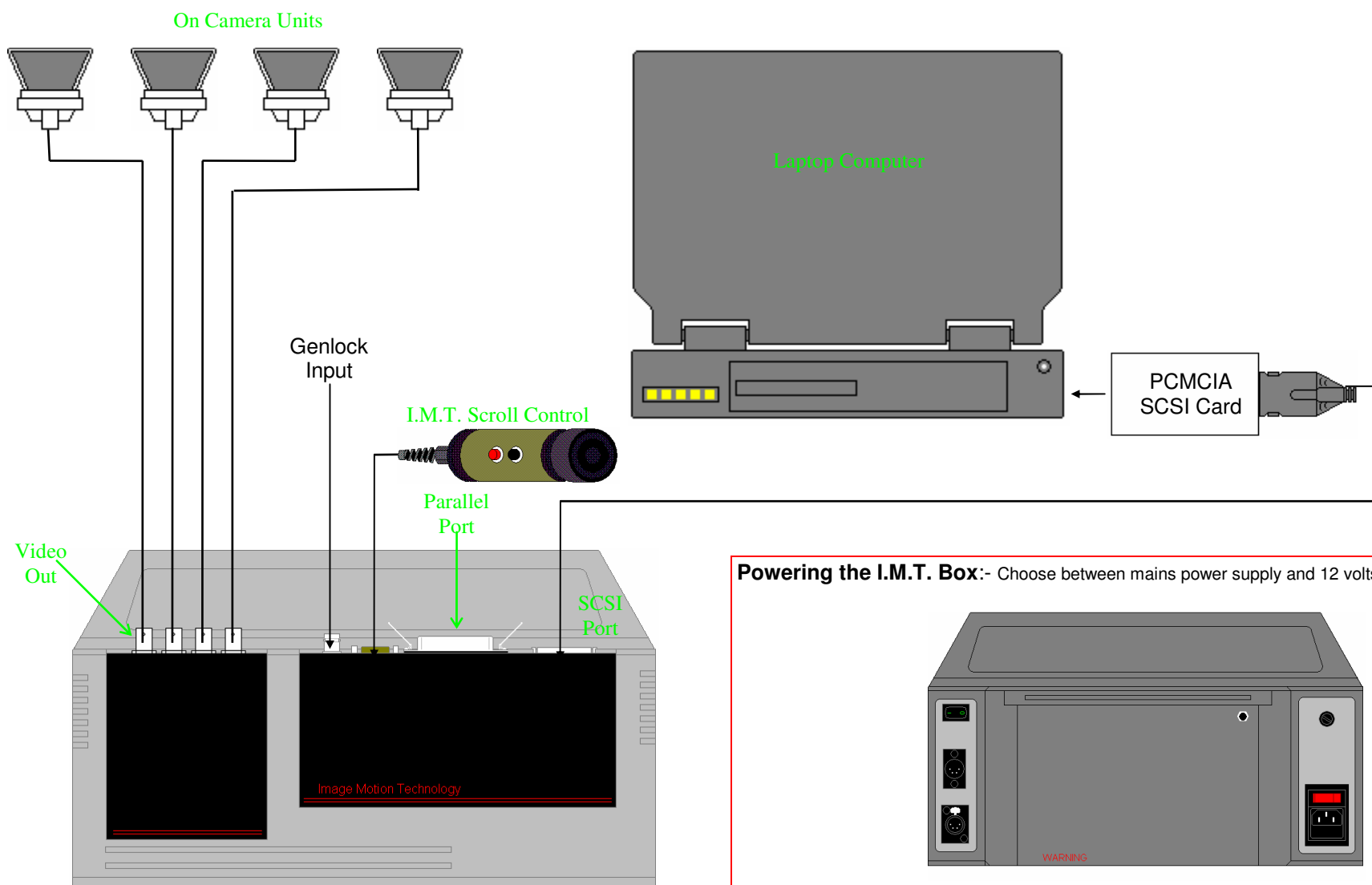
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Laptop and I.M.T. Box Wiring Diagram (UK)	C3
Laptop and IMT Box Wiring Diagram (US)	C4
Standalone Edit Station Wiring Diagram	C5
Network Prompter Wiring Diagram	C6



## C2 Standalone Prompter Wiring Diagram

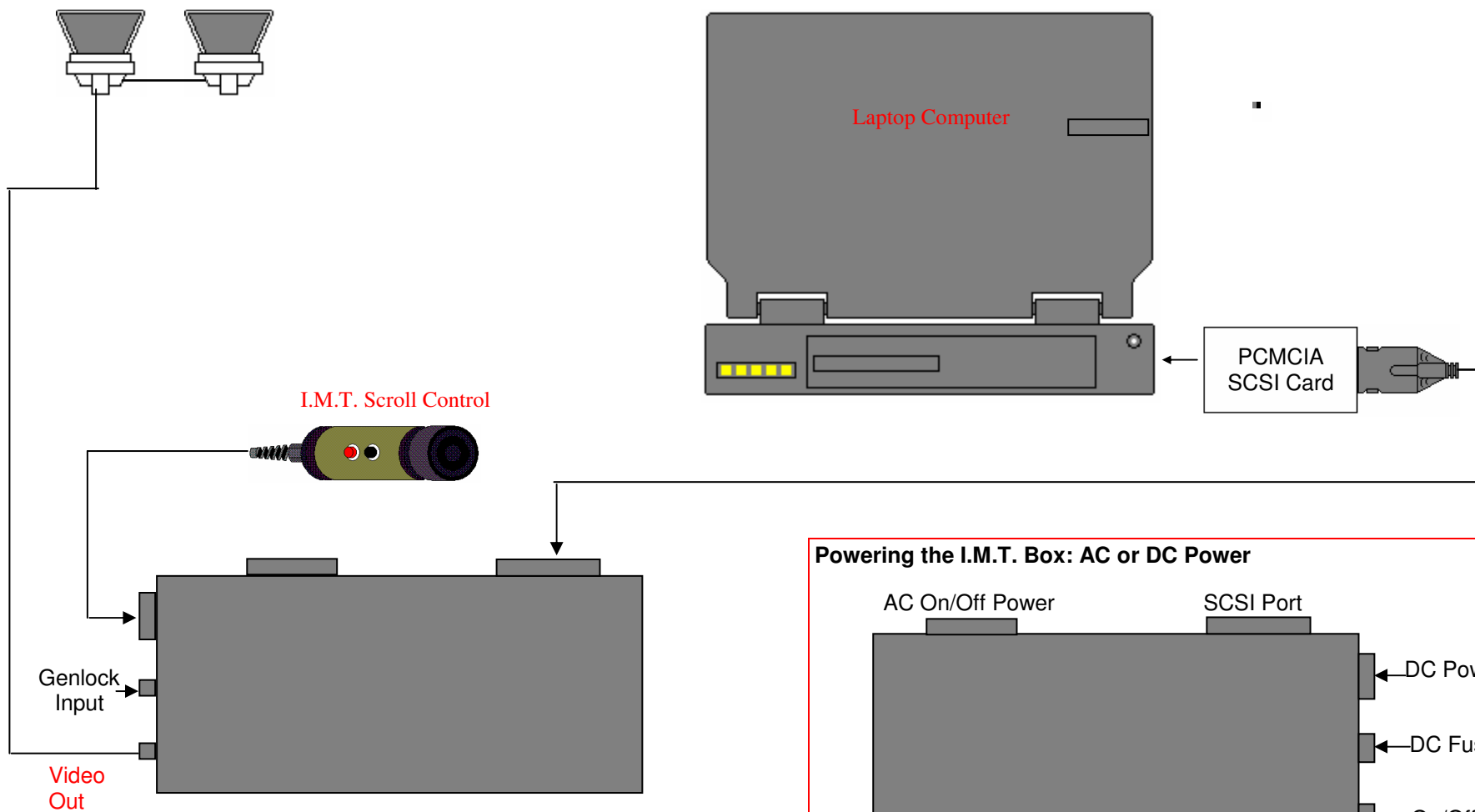


### C3 Laptop and I.M.T. Box Wiring Diagram (UK)

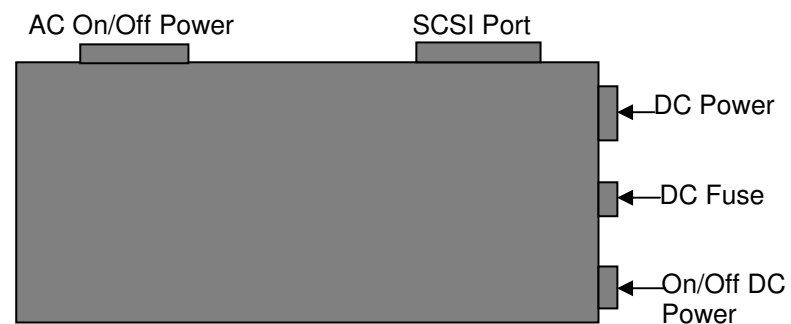


## C4 Laptop and I.M.T. Box Wiring Diagram (US)

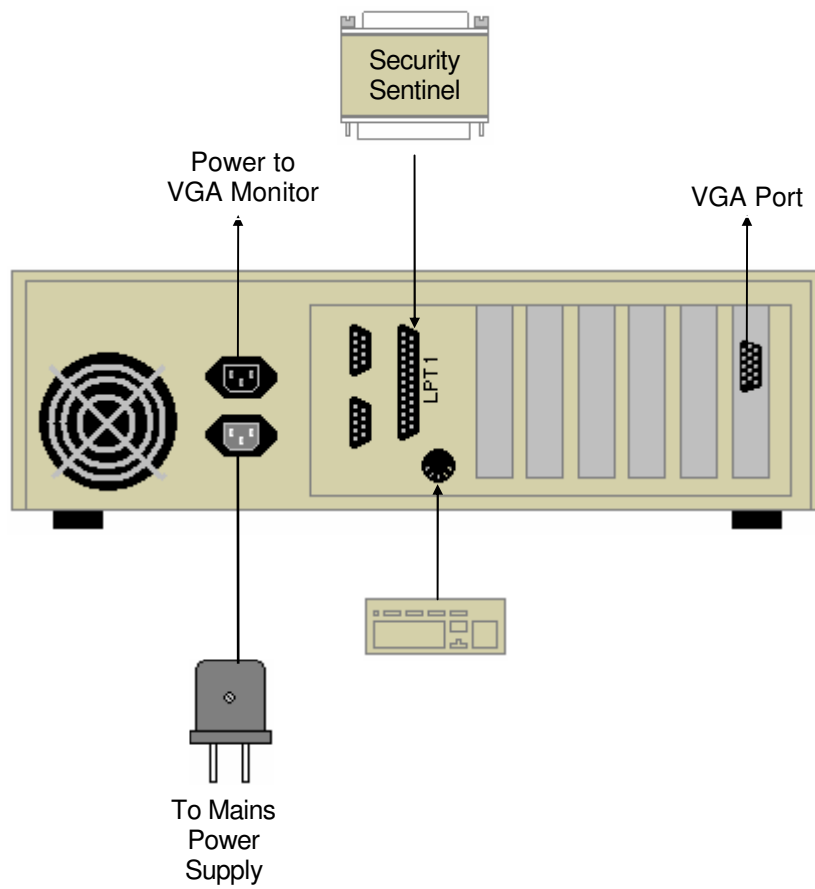
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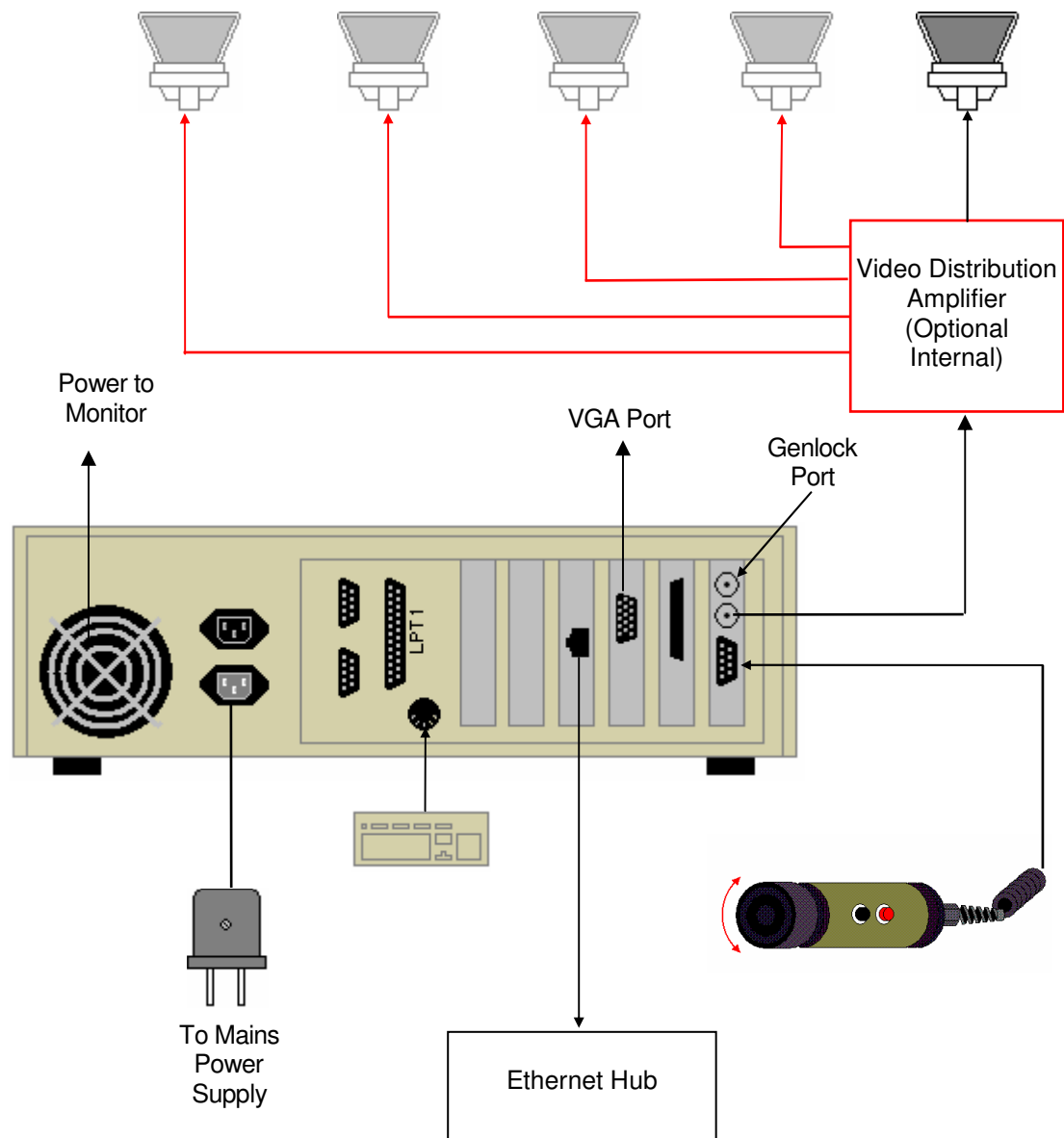
### Powering the I.M.T. Box: AC or DC Power



## C5 Standalone Edit Station Wiring Diagram



## C6 Network Prompter Wiring Diagram














Key







- - Essential cabling
- - Optional cabling

## Appendix D WinCue Tool Buttons and Keyboard Shortcuts

### Rundowns: Tools and Shortcuts

Function	Toolbar Button	Shortcut	Menu Command
New File			ALT+FN
Open File			ALT+FO
Open Queue		CTRL+Q	ALT+FQ
Copy		CTRL+INS	ALT+EC
Paste		SHIFT+INS	ALT+EP
Change Layout			ALT+VL
Favourites			ALT+FV
Begin Prompting			ALT+PB
Stop Prompting			ALT+PS
Edit at Prompt position		F11	ALT+PE
Jump Prompt to Editor		SHIFT+F11	ALT+PJ


















### Panes

Function	Toolbar Button	Shortcut
Zoom pane		CTRL+ALT+Z
UnZoom pane		CTRL+ALT+Z
Close contents of pane		
Change Active Pane		CTRL+TAB
Horizontal Splitter Mode		ALT+WMH
Vertical Splitter mode		ALT+WMV
Mirror Splitter		ALT+WMM



**On Highlighted items in Rundown**

<b>Function</b>	<b>Shortcut</b>	<b>Menu Command</b>
Insert New Script	INSERT	ALT+SN
Insert New Break Script	ALT+INSERT	ALT+SB
Delete Item	DELETE	ALT+SD
Edit Script	ENTER	ALT+SE
View Script	CTRL+ENTER	ALT+SV
Toggle Hold state	ALT+F3	ALT+SH
Toggle Break/Normal state		ALT+SC
Lock/Unlock item		ALT+SL
Approve Story		ALT+SA

**Script Editor: Tools and Shortcuts**

Function	Button	Shortcut	Menu Command
Cut		CTRL+X	ALT+ET
Copy		CTRL+C	ALT+EC
Paste		CTRL+V	ALT+EP
Change to plain text		CTRL+R	ALT+TR
Bold		CTRL+B	ALT+TB
Underline		CTRL+U	ALT+TU
Italic		CTRL+I	ALT+TI
Inverse		CTRL+E	ALT+TV
Change case of text		CTRL+L	ALT+TH
Font		CTRL+F	ALT+TF
Change colour: White / Red / Green / Blue / Yellow		CTRL+1/2/3/4/5	ALT+TC, D/R/G/B/Y
Justify Text: Left / Centre / Right		CTRL+SHIFT+L/C/R	ALT+TJ, L/C/R
AutoScale script to fit window			ALT+VSS
AutoScale column to fit window			ALT+VSC
Manually scale the script			ALT+VSM
Increase Script size		CTRL+ALT+PgUp	ALT+VSI
Decrease Script size		CTRL+ALT+PgDown	ALT+VSD
Select all text in		CTRL+A	ALT+ES
Insert Presenter		Keypad+, P	ALT+IP
Insert Caption		Keypad+, G	ALT+IAC
Undo		CTRL+Z	



Redo		CTRL+Y	
Insert Marker		CTRL+M <b>or</b> Keypad+,M	ALT+IM
Mark text as Not Captioned		CTRL+N	ALT+TN
Mark text as Not Prompted		CTRL+P	ALT+TP
Commit changes		F7	ALT+SC
Swap columns		ALT+ ←/ →	
Go to Next Script		F6	ALT+SN
Go to Previous Script		SHIFT+F6	ALT+SV
Find		CTRL+F3	ALT+EF
Find Next		F3	ALT+EN
Find Previous		SHIFT+F3	ALT+EV
Replace		CTRL+H	ALT+ER
Exit Script		ESCAPE	
Next Hit in Search Results		F4	
Previous Hit in Search Results		SHIFT+F4	
Hard page break		CTRL+ENTER	
Go to end of script		CTRL+END	
Go to start of script		CTRL+HOME	

## Appendix E Wiring

### E1 WinCue Multibutton Hand Control

#### E1.1 WinCue IMT card 9 way d connections

- 1 0v
- 2 0v
- 3 gnd
- 4 +5
- 5 +5
- 6 pot
- 7 n/c
- 8 marker
- 9 fwd/rev

pot = 10k

#### E1.2 9 way d Serial port connections

- 2.....rd.....brown
- 4.....dtr.....yellow
- 5.....gnd.....white
- 7.....rts.....purple

dtr and rts are used to generate the supply voltage

#### E1.3 P4 Multibutton Remote Connector 15 Pin D Male

- 9.....+ 5v.....Red
- 10.....0v.....Black
- 11.....Pot.....Green
- 12.....Fwd/Rev.....Blue

500k pot for Foot control

### E2 2 button Serial Hand Control

#### E2.1 9 way d Serial port connections

- 2.....rd.....Red
- 4.....dtr.....Blue
- 5.....gnd.....Green
- 7.....rts.....Yellow

dtr and rts are used to generate the supply voltage

### E3 2 button IMT Hand Control

#### E3.1 IMT Hand control

- 1.....5v.....Red

5.....0v.....**Black**  
6.....pot.....**Green**  
8.....marker.....**Yellow**  
9.....fwd/rev.....**Blue**

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